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More Ping-Pong Diplomacy

Chinese Team to Visit U.S.

DETROIT, April 20 (AP)—A delegation of table-tennis players from Communist China has accepted an invitation to visit the United States...

He explained that details of the visit remain to be worked out but said he has been assured the U.S. government will grant visas to the visiting players...

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Mansfield Tells Senate

G.I.s Against G.I.s: Vietnam 'Fraggings'

WASHINGTON, April 20 (AP)—The Senate was told today how Americans fighting in Vietnam are being murdered by fellow soldiers in a practice known as "fraggings"...



Sen. Mansfield

350,000 and loss of treasure that could well be spent at home," Sen. Mansfield said.

Agnew Faults Table Tennis Tour of China

By David Kraslow and Jules Witcover

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., April 20 (AP)—Vice President Spiro T. Agnew, in an off-the-record, three-hour, post-midnight meeting with nine reporters yesterday, reportedly complained that the United States took a propaganda beating on the recent visit of American table tennis players to China.

Mr. Agnew, here for the spring Republican Governors' Conference, criticized some U.S. reporting of that visit and expressed disagreement with some facets of the administration's policy of easing relations with the Peking regime.

He told the reporters he unsuccessfully argued his position at a National Security Council meeting before the admission of the table tennis players.

Mr. Agnew said he felt the United States had been trapped by the Chinese invitation to the players and that the visit was a mistake because, among other reasons, it might tend to undermine U.S. support for the Nationalist Chinese government.

Public Opinion He suggested to the reporters that an administration policy that might seem to be too eager to embrace a long-time foe of the United States could adversely affect American public opinion regarding Taiwan.

Mr. Agnew singled out for criticism a story from mainland China by John Roderick of the Associated Press Tokyo bureau, who accompanied the U.S. players and who was formerly stationed in China.

Much of the meeting was said to be given over to a two-day discussion of the performance of the American press in a spirit of serious and polite exchange in which, at times, the vice-president was complimentary of reporters and critical of newspaper management.

The meeting came about at the invitation of Mr. Agnew. One of his aides contacted the reporters, rousing at least one of them from bed shortly after midnight to ask him to come to the Williamsburg Lodge.

The ground rules for the meeting—that the vice-president's remarks were to be completely off the record—were spelled out with (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)



RETIRING—Cambodia Premier Lon Nol (right) greeted in Phnom Penh April 12 by Deputy Premier Sirik Matak when Gen. Nol returned from hospitalization in Hawaii. It was announced yesterday that Gen. Nol was retiring from the government post.

Cites Ill Health

Lon Nol Quits as Cambodia Premier

PHNOM PENH, April 20 (Reuters)—The Cambodian Premier Gen. Lon Nol, 58, resigned today, two months after suffering a stroke that left him partially paralyzed.

He said in a letter read at a special cabinet meeting that he could not fulfill his responsibilities because of ill-health.

The general had a stroke on Feb. 8, and spent two months in Hawaii for treatment. He returned to Phnom Penh eight days ago. He looked tired and unsteady as he walked down the ramp of the aircraft, using a stick and supported by assistants.

He took over effective control as premier as well as commander in chief of Cambodia's armed forces—a post he had held since 1969—when Prince Sihanouk was ousted in March, 1970.

Technicians Seen in Colombo

Russians Said to Be Sending 6 MiGs, Crews to Aid Ceylon

By Mort Rosenblum

COLOMBO, Ceylon, April 20 (AP)—The Soviet Union is sending six MiG-17 jet fighters with complete flight and ground crews to Ceylon to fight insurgents and establish what amounts to its first Asian air base, reliable sources revealed.

Sixty technicians in baggy civilian clothes are already established at Brown's Beach Hotel, a multi-story complex not far from Colombo's Katunayake airport, from where the Soviet aircraft will operate.

The MiGs, and possibly some helicopters and other aircraft, were to arrive late today or tomorrow. Western diplomats attached extreme significance to the move, coming after the United States and Britain arranged a deal to provide Ceylon with six American-built helicopters and bringing the left-leaning government closer to the West.

Arms From Cairo A Yugoslav transport aircraft arrived during the weekend with Communist bloc-made arms, and an Air Ceylon plane made a trip about the same time to Cairo to collect arms from the Egyptian government.

Ceylon's foreign relations have taken mysterious turns since youthful insurgents seeking a

more extreme leftist government touched off a full-scale rebellion on April 5.

The ambassador and the entire staff of the North Korean Embassy were expelled—after being linked to the insurgency—but relations were not severed.

Top-level government sources told foreigners in Colombo that the Communist Chinese government had smuggled weapons for the insurgents into Ceylon.

As a result, a Chinese freighter was turned away from Colombo in early April and followed by Indian warships on loan to the Ceylonese. Curbs were put on Chinese aid technicians.

Captured insurgents have been carrying books on the thoughts of Chairman Mao Tse-tung in the Sinhalese languages and some wore Mao badges.

Israeli Proposal Viewed as Basis For Suez Talks

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI)—Israel has presented proposals that offer "a basis for further negotiations" on reopening the Suez Canal and reaching an interim Middle East settlement, the State Department said today.

Department spokesman Robert J. McCloskey confirmed that Israel transmitted its proposals yesterday through Ambassador Walworth Barbour, in Israel, and Yitzhak Rabin, Israeli Ambassador to Washington. "I would not want to categorize but we believe the proposals offer a basis for further negotiations on interim arrangements for reopening the Suez Canal," he said.

Mr. McCloskey spoke at a press conference shortly before Deputy Premier Yigal Alon arrived at the State Department to clarify the Israeli proposals to Secretary of State William P. Rogers. Mr. Alon said he was encouraged after conferring with Mr. Rogers. "The Israeli reply is a positive one and it would be a great pity if Egypt rejected it," he said at a news conference in the State Department lobby.

Later Mr. Alon listed three main conditions for Israeli acceptance of the reopening of the Suez Canal, the Associated Press reported. They were: "The termination of belligerency must be one of the preconditions of any partial arrangement."

"The eastern bank of the canal cannot be occupied by Egyptian, Russian or federated troops," meaning the troops of the new federation of Egypt, Syria and Libya.

"The option for peace negotiations must be kept open," a precondition meaning that Israel would not agree to withdrawal from the canal as the first phase of total withdrawal from territories it occupied in 1967.

(Mr. Alon talked to reporters after a two-and-a-half-hour meeting and luncheon with Mr. Rogers and Joseph J. Sisco, the Assistant Secretary for Middle East Affairs.)

"I am going back a little wiser than I was before," Mr. Alon said. Mr. Alon was thought to have engaged in a general review of the Middle East situation, including the threat to the current military balance created there by the Soviet shipment to Egypt of advanced MiG-23 aircraft.

State Department officials said that the United States would transmit to Egypt the details of Israel's views.

The United States is now moving into a new phase in the Middle East diplomacy in which it was increasingly acting as a middle man, the sources said.

They said there was still a possibility that Mr. Rogers would visit Jerusalem and Cairo in connection with the trip which he is beginning on Sunday to attend the South-East Asia Treaty Organization meeting in London and the Central Treaty Organization meeting in Ankara, Turkey.

Maximum Concessions JERUSALEM, April 20 (NYT)—Policymakers here are understood to consider that Israel's (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

U.S. Sending 12 Phantoms To Israelis

8 Already Delivered; Decision Made in Fall

By William Beecher

WASHINGTON, April 20 (NYT)—The United States is delivering 12 more Phantom fighter-bombers to Israel and is considering a request for more, according to administration officials.

Officials said that the decision to deliver the planes, previously unreported, was made last fall in order to maintain Israel's balance of power with the Arabs and to convince Israel that the United States would continue the flow of advanced arms despite differences between the two countries on tactics in the Mideast negotiations.

The latest request, the officials said, stems from the shipment to Egypt of nearly 200 Soviet fighter planes and fighter-bombers since Jan. 1 and the recent introduction of a small number of very advanced fighters, identified as MiG-23s.

Arriving in Washington for talks with U.S. officials, Israeli Deputy Premier Yigal Alon told reporters yesterday that the military balance of power in the region had been affected by the latest Soviet shipments to Egypt, but insisted that Israel was making no new requests to the United States for equipment "for the time being."

Planes Delivered The planned federation of Egypt, Libya and Syria might also affect Egypt's air power. But the French Foreign Ministry said yesterday that the delivery of Mirage jets to Libya would be blocked if Paris found they were going to other countries.

The 12 Phantoms for Israel—eight have been delivered, the U.S. sources said—will bring to 80 the number of F-4 fighter-bombers in the Washington area. Israel agreed to sell Israel in the last three years. Six reconnaissance versions of the F-4 are also being delivered this year.

The sources say that the newest deliveries have been made at a rate of two a month since Jan. 1, with supply of the four remaining fighter-bombers expected to (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Soccer Fans Riot in South

New Strikes Called in Italy; Milan Campus Is Bomb Target

ROME, April 20 (AP)—Unrest and violence spread throughout Italy today with a new wave of strikes and demonstrations, a soccer riot in the south and political bombings in the north.

The labor situation worsened with 700,000 maritime, train, postal and textile workers beginning a series of walkouts, Italian ships in major ports were affected today, although seamen called off further planned stoppages.

Raiders wearing black helmets and red handkerchiefs over their faces threw six firebombs over a wall at Milan University, a stronghold of leftist organizations. A 20-year-old girl was slightly burned.

Police said that the bomb attack was apparently a reprisal for the beating of two rightist students by leftists in Milan last Friday. Last night, bombs damaged a wall of the San Vittore Prison and a rail line.

Leftist deputies in parliament are demanding government action against rightist extremists in the troubled northern industrial city.

Two bombs badly damaged the headquarters of the Socialist and Communist parties in Milan on Saturday and neo-Fascist youths battled police in the city that night.

Schultz Is Re-Elected Mayor of W. Berlin

BERLIN, April 20 (Reuters)—Klaus Schultz was re-elected governing mayor of West Berlin here today, receiving 72 votes of the 136 city parliament deputies.

The 45-year old mayor became head of the city administration in 1967 after his predecessor, Pastor Heinrich Albertz, was forced to resign following student unrest and campus riots.

ASA Seeks Permanent Unit Follow Skylab in 1973

WASHINGTON, April 20 (AP)—The United States is launching its first space station in 1973 and later may send a larger, more permanent station in orbit over a period of 10 months.

The second-generation space station were outlined in the annual Space Conference in Cocoa Beach, Fla., last week after the Soviet Union launched what appeared to be the start of the construction of the world's first space station.

The U.S. station is called Salyut. It is a 185,000-pound, spherical structure that will be in orbit for at least a year, with enough water and other provisions to support three three-man crews for a period of eight months from May through December, 1973.

Skylab is not completely permanent because its other supplies cannot be replenished. National Aeronautics and Space Administration officials consider a permanent station that can be a profit for at least ten years with periodic resupply from Earth.

Allen and Charles R. Allen of the Marshall Space Center, said the space station for a second-generation now center around the modular assembly that would be placed by piece into the proposed space shuttle plane.

Skylab is an approved in the final phases of the study phase and has yet been approved. Allen and Mr. Ellsworth inners attending the Space Station that the follow-on space station would consist of five tanks, 14 feet in diameter, and a length up to 100 feet.

Each would fit in the way of the space shuttle carried into space a space station.

The first four will go to the U.S. Department of Transportation from AMF Inc. and Fairchild Hiller Corp. Eight months later there will be a pair from General Motors.

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'Safety Car' Due Soon in U.S.—No Injury in 50-MPH Crash

BRUSSELS, April 20 (AP)—In December, America's North Atlantic allies were told today, the United States will take delivery of the first prototype "safety cars"—able to hit a brick wall at 50 miles an hour without hurting the passengers.

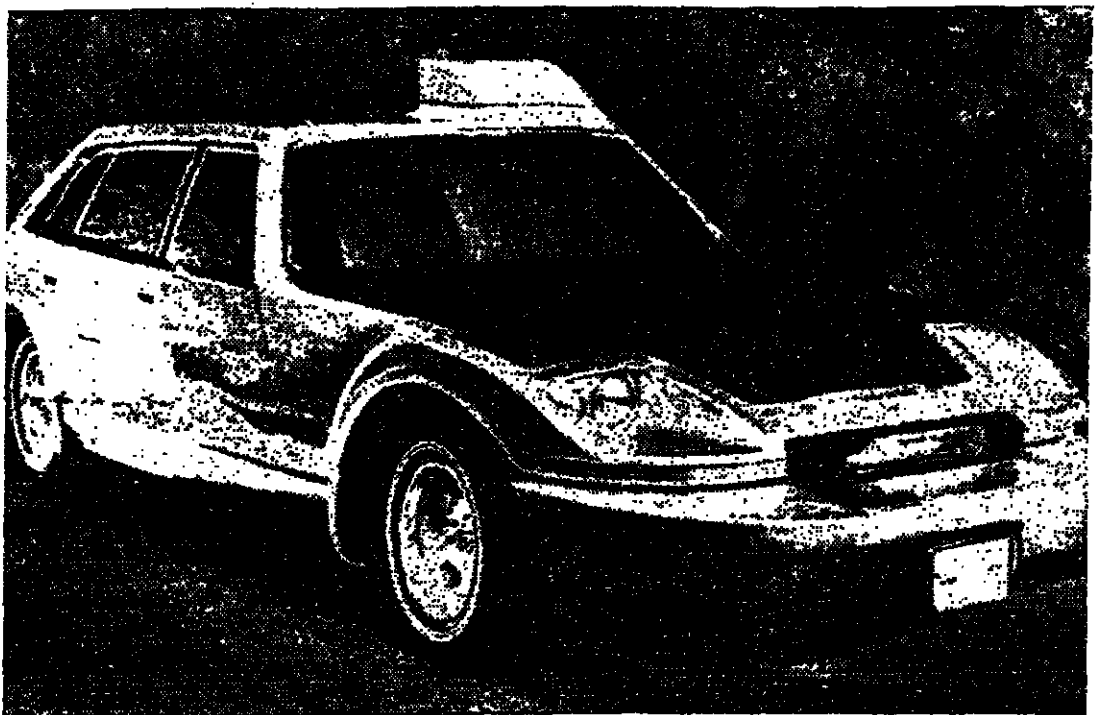
They should be able to turn over completely at 75 miles an hour without injury to those inside.

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Prototype safety car built by AMF, Inc., with periscope-type rear-view mirror.

tail at the current standard rate of a dollar a pound.

But there will have to be an extensive series of U.S. government tests before the tools can be made and the models for general sale are put into production.

Agreements have been signed by the United States with Japan and West Germany for building 2,000-pound safety cars. These have to meet different specifications and solve somewhat different problems. The West Germans have completed their study of design specifications.

Today's presentation was made on the final day of a two-day meeting by the CCMS.

In addition to road-safety plans, it reviewed work done on eight other projects dealing with air and water pollution, especially oil spills, and disaster relief, and with other subjects.

Eldon Griffiths, parliamentary undersecretary in Britain's Department of the Environment, told newsmen reports were made on what member nations are doing to meet the target date of 1975 for ending deliberate oil spills by tankers.

He pointed to recent laws enacted by the Parliament providing heavy fines for such spills.

Says French Problems Are 'Minor' Chaban-Delmas Assails 'Alarmists'

By James Goldborough
PARIS, April 20.—In his first major speech of the year, Prime Minister Jacques Chaban-Delmas warned a grumbling National Assembly today not to overemphasize French problems, which, he said, are not as bad as those of some other countries.

in recent weeks of lack of leadership and direction.
One of the critics has been former Prime Minister Maurice Couve de Murville, who reflected the mood of many staunch Gaullists when he suggested that the government's lack of overall policy had hurt France in negotiations with both Algeria and Great Britain.

"confederation of nations resolved to live together and coordinate their actions in every domain."
The major part of the speech, however, was devoted to calming the angry Gaullist deputies who at the most recent party meeting publicly criticized the prime minister's leadership and the increase of disorder in the streets and schools.

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to be made next month. Deliveries of the six reconnaissance Phantoms, which were part of a commitment made by President Lyndon B. Johnson, are scheduled to be completed this month.



PROTEST MARCH IN DACCA—This photograph released by the Pakistan government press information department is said to show a recent protest march against "Indian infiltration" into strife-torn East Pakistan.

India Won't Remove Bengalis Who Control Calcutta Mission

NEW DELHI, April 20 (AP)—With their troops facing each other on the border, India and Pakistan fought a diplomatic war today over a two-story gray brick building in Calcutta.

here about reports that the U.S. Ambassador to India, Kenneth E. Keating, had said that the East Pakistan situation was not an internal problem of Pakistan. The Pakistan Foreign Office asked for a text of the statement, which U.S. sources then said spoke for itself that he did not say what was reported.

Agnew View On Red China

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unusual clarity and emphasis. As a result, reporters who attended felt bound not to reveal what the Vice-President said. Los Angeles Times reporters were not present at the meeting and therefore were not a party to the agreement.

Among the other subjects reportedly discussed at the meeting was the Vice-President's role in the 1970 congressional campaign. He acknowledged to the nine reporters that he had been hurt by the campaign, in which he was the spearhead of the Nixon administration's drive to oust congressional foes, and the loudest voice in a strident law-and-order theme many Republicans felt betrayed.

Rippon Denies French Summit Is Key to British EEC Entry

THE HAGUE, April 20 (Reuters)—Geoffrey Rippon, Britain's minister for European affairs and Common Market negotiator, today discounted the idea that a Franco-British summit or an offer by Britain to share military nuclear secrets with France could be the key to negotiations on Britain's entry into the Common Market.

was not part of entry negotiations and also said a deal on the future of the Anglo-French supersonic airliner Concorde was not part of EEC entry.

Japanese Jets Buzzed Soviet Destroyer

TOKYO, April 20 (UPI)—Four Japanese F-86 jet fighters made a mistaken mock bombing run on a Soviet destroyer during a military exercise in the Tsushima Strait, between Japan and Korea, it was revealed yesterday.

Mr. Rippon said that reports on the likelihood of a summit meeting sometime between May and June were misleading. While he agreed that a meeting between British Prime Minister Edward Heath and President Georges Pompidou of France might take place, he wished to dispel any impression that Britain was pushing for such a meeting or saw it as the solution to entry negotiations.

Israel Gives Proposals on Suez Opening

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conditions represent the maximum concessions consistent with national security. They acknowledged that Cairo's terms for letting the canal be dredged and prepared for shipping, at least as they have been stated in public, are far from what Israel is offering.

Ceylon Said To Get MiGs

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Indian Ocean, where the Soviet Navy has been increasing its presence. Any Ceylonese gratitude for Soviet military aid could be tactically beneficial.

White House Denies Blit

WASHINGTON, April 20 (AP)—The White House and top Republican congressional leaders closed ranks today to insist that Vice-President Agnew has no differences with President Nixon about administration steps to promote better relations with Communist China.

Anti-War Senators Testify As Vietnam Vets Applaud

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI)—To thunderous applause from more than 100 Vietnam veterans in the audience, a battery of anti-war senators told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today that Congress must set a final date for total withdrawal or risk an endless dragging out of the Indochina war.

Sen. Hartke testified that he could give assurances on this point on the basis of his discussions of April 8 with Nguyen Minh Vy, deputy head of the North Vietnamese Paris delegation, and Mrs. Nguyen Thi Binh, head of delegation representing the Viet Cong.

"The very soul of this nation demands that we must take positive action now to terminate our role in the killing and destruction of Indochina," said Sen. George S. McGovern, D-S.D., sponsor of a bill requiring total withdrawal by Dec. 31, 1971.

He said Mr. Vy told him that a cease-fire could be arranged within 48 hours of the U.S. announcement of the date of withdrawal and that release of U.S. prisoners could probably be settled within three weeks of such an announcement.

U.S. Colonel Moved After War Criticism

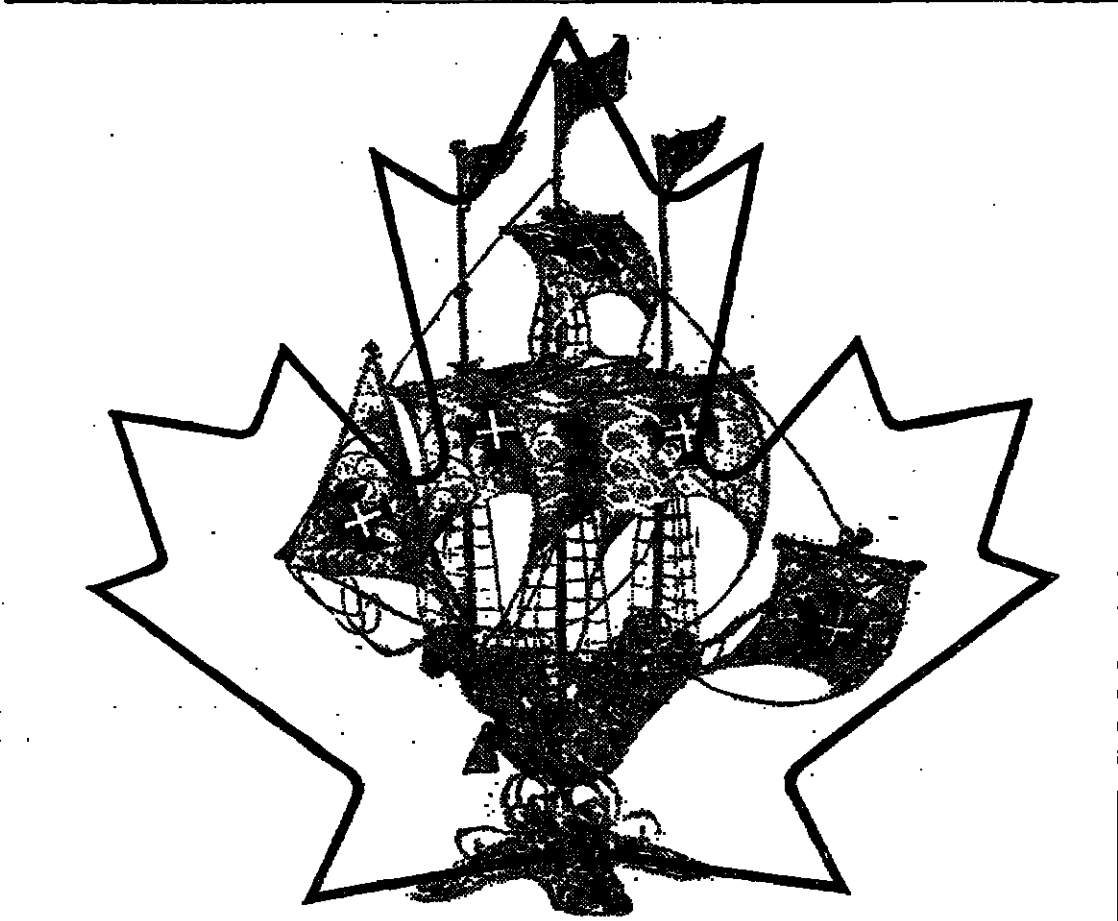
SAIGON, April 20 (AP)—The U.S. Army has relieved the commander of a helicopter unit because he criticized the "ethnic cleansing" in Laos and allowed a television crew to film helicopters using napalm on enemy positions. It was learned today.

Col. Frank Miller of Orlando, Fla., had been relieved of command of the 1st Aviation Battalion, which he had led for eight weeks. He had been relieved of command of the 1st Aviation Battalion, which he had led for eight weeks.

B-52s Attack Enemy Targets In Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia

SAIGON, April 20 (AP)—U.S. B-52 bombers ranged over wide areas of Indochina yesterday and today, striking North Vietnamese supply depots and sanctuaries in South Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos in a triple-barreled aerial campaign.

The B-52s flew more than 80 strikes, dropping 1,800 tons of bombs along the Demilitarized Zone in the northwestern quadrant of South Vietnam, north of Highway-9 running through Laos, and north of Highway-7, running through Cambodia.



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Blow to Nixon Stance

U.S. High Court Backs Busing To End School Segregation

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—The Supreme Court today unanimously upheld busing, pupil busing and other deliberate school balancing devices to stamp out school segregation.

ABM Debate Opens Again in U.S. Senate

By John W. Finney

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—The anti-ballistic missile debate in the Senate began again yesterday in arguments but little of the substance or organized opposition of past years.

John B. Foster Jr., director of defense research and engineering testified before the Senate Armed Services Committee in support of the administration's request for an additional \$1.3 billion to expand the Safeguard ABM system.

The administration proposal for a year is to continue construction of Safeguard sites around the perimeter of the United States. Talks with the Soviet Union to start construction of a Safeguard complex at Whiteman Air Force Base in Missouri and preliminary steps toward a fourth Safeguard site either around Washington or at Warren Air Force Base in Wyoming.

As in the past, Mr. Foster argued that the Safeguard system is needed as a bargaining chip in the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks with the Soviet Union and as a counter to the growing Soviet strategic threat.

Mr. Foster said that, after an apparent pause last year, the Soviet Union apparently has resumed its buildup in offensive missiles.

Mid-1970s Threat He predicted that without the Safeguard defense the survival of the retaliatory force of Minuteman missiles could be threatened in the mid-1970s.

Mr. Foster also reported that Safeguard development was proceeding on schedule, but with a large increase in cost, largely because of inflation. The cost of a four-site system has risen to \$1 billion, not including the \$1 billion for nuclear warheads.

Mr. Foster said that the Safeguard program, he observed, was being built by the "parasitic company" and if it doesn't work, send back and we will give you the only new concession that Symington was able to extract from Mr. Foster in several years of questioning was that if there is an armaments agreement prohibiting ABM systems, then there would be no need for the Safeguard system, known as the "parasitic company."

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Army to Let Female Officers Have Mothers, Raise Families

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—The U.S. Army is to allow female officers and enlisted women to have children and raise families.

The Air Force adopted a similar policy in March. The Navy is expected to follow soon. Earlier this year, the Army approved recruiting of married women.

An Army spokesman said the new policy won't mean "a wholesale opening of the doors" to mothers in uniform. "The mere fact that a woman is married and pregnant and wants to stay on are not the only grounds. She must also meet the other requirements."

Requests from enlisted women also must include an explanation of the "circumstances involved" in a pregnancy. If approved, the Army will grant the mother-to-be a leave of absence from the seventh month of pregnancy to the sixth week after birth of the child.



DOG'S BEST FRIEND—Sergeant slurps while his pal turns the tap at a drinking fountain in Ojai, Calif.

Nixon Addresses DAR, Urges 'New American Revolution'

By Sarah Booth Conroy

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—President Nixon last night became the first President in 17 years to address the annual Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and he used the occasion to call for a new one.

"As heirs of the first American Revolution, you are in an excellent position to appreciate the need for a new one," the President said as he addressed the opening-night session of the 80th Continental Congress meeting this week in Constitution Hall. The last President to address the DAR was Dwight D. Eisenhower, in 1954.

As part of his revolution, Mr. Nixon called for \$16 billion in revenue sharing with the states and a "sweeping reorganization of the cabinet departments."

He said some of the "long train of abuses and usurpations" which the Declaration of Independence listed against the king of England "add up to a not very exaggerated description of the current condition of the Washington bureaucracy, the federal system and the state and local tax load here and now."

To remedy this, he called for "a peaceful revolution which returns power to the American people."

The President got a warm response from the women, whose ancestors' military service brought them to Constitution Hall last night, when he said: "I say tonight that we can be proud of the more than two million brave and honorable American men who have fought in Vietnam—men who by their humane conduct and personal integrity have done credit to this nation's highest principles."

He went on to praise the American prisoners, adding, "You here said that ours is not an age of heroes, yet anyone who has talked with POW wives knows that is not so."

While the nation wants desperately to end the killing in Southeast Asia, Mr. Nixon said, "the verdict of history will hinge upon how we stop it." Restating the stand he took Friday night before the American Society of Newspaper Editors, he ruled out a withdrawal that "ends the death toll only for Americans and only for a brief time."

He voiced confidence that the nation will support "a more difficult but wiser way" in which it will "leave behind a South Vietnam able to defend itself against Communist aggression and a Southeast Asia where peace is possible over the long term."

The President closed his remarks with a story about a woman who brought him a 3-by-5-foot American flag which she had knitted.

She told him it took her 78,000 separate stitches and said, "Every one of those stitches just stands for the American flag."

Sterling Hayden's Son Wins Draft Appeal SAN FRANCISCO, April 20 (AP).—A court of appeals yesterday reversed the conviction of Christian Winslow Hayden, 23-year-old son of actor Sterling Hayden. He had been convicted of failure to report for a pre-induction physical examination.

The court noted that Mr. Hayden had claimed conscientious objector status with his local draft board in Los Angeles from the time he first registered in 1966 but that his board consistently rejected the claim despite a court ruling sustaining his plea for conscientious objector status.

Bank of America Bombed BERKELEY, Calif., April 20 (UPI).—A bomb blast shook a Bank of America branch today—the 24th bombing directed against the world's largest bank in the last 14 months in California. No injuries were reported.

Boggs Says FBI Snooped on His Toll Calls

By Ronald Kessler

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—House Democratic leader Hale Boggs says that Federal Bureau of Investigation agents last year obtained records of long distance calls charged to his office telephones and those of former House Speaker John W. McCormack.

Sources close to Rep. Boggs also say that federal agents placed calls to several of those listed on Mr. Boggs's long-distance call bills to confirm that the calls had been made by Rep. Boggs.

The Louisiana Democrat has asked permission to address the House of Representatives for an hour on Thursday but did not give further details.

Justice Department officials confirmed yesterday that toll records of Rep. Boggs and Mr. McCormack were obtained in connection with criminal investigations directed at former Democratic aide Martin Swetz and his associate, Nathan M. Voloshin, and a Baltimore contractor, Victor J. Frenkel, who reportedly modeled Rep. Boggs's suburban Bethesda, Md., home.

They said obtaining such records is standard investigative procedure. Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. said the records are given only if a subpoena is presented.

The FBI and the Justice Department declined comment. Sources close to Rep. Boggs insist the Louisiana congressman does not want to give the impression that senators and representatives should be immune from investigation of illegal acts.

But he is understood to be upset that the records were obtained without his or Mr. McCormack's knowledge and that the act may have been an unwarranted intrusion into the legislative branch.

The sources say the phone records constitute Rep. Boggs's key concrete charge against the FBI. The charge does not support Mr. Boggs's original contention made on April 1 in demanding the resignation of FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover that the FBI "taps the telephones of members of this body (the House) and of members of the Senate."

Although the telephone company said the records are given only under subpoena, this reporter last week obtained from the telephone company long distance calls charged to Rep. Boggs's House office by claiming to be calling for Mr. Boggs. Although the request was made with the permission of Rep. Boggs's office, the company business representative who disclosed the calls did not verify the identity of the caller.

The representative, upon request, also gave further details of individual calls listed. For example, he reported that a call to a FREDERICK, Md., number was placed person-to-person at 4:32 p.m. Feb. 5 to "Mrs. Sigmund."

The telephone, the company employee said, is listed to Paul E. Sigmund. Mrs. Sigmund is one of Rep. Boggs's daughters. Federal law prohibits telephone company employees from disclosing long distance call records without a subpoena or on demand of "lawful authority."

Violation carries the same penalty as wiretapping by company employees. A telephone company spokesman said yesterday that the practice of giving toll call records to persons who identify themselves as the proper customer relies upon the "integrity" of customers and "has never caused any difficulties."

FBI Refuses Congressman WASHINGTON, April 20 (UPI).—The FBI refused yesterday to turn over documents to Rep. Henry S. Reuss, D. Wis., relating to a "security" investigation of Rep. Reuss's daughter, Jacqueline, 21, a senior at Swarthmore College.

Mr. Reuss said in an interview that he summoned FBI Inspector David Bowers to his office and requested the FBI reports, partly because they apparently varied in content from the type of investigation Mr. Bowers has described to him in meetings on

2 British Boats Blasted in Ireland CORK, Ireland, April 20 (AP).—Two British Navy survey launches were blown up early today in Baltimore Harbor on Ireland's southwest coast. Crews of the two craft were ashore at the time.

There was no indication of who was responsible for the explosions but most attacks on the British in Ireland have been carried out by members of the illegal Irish Republican Army. British Navy spokesman said one of the launches sank and the other was badly damaged. "The two boats were moored near the police station at Baltimore Harbor and the police were keeping an eye on them," he said.

Jane Fonda Trial Reset CLEVELAND, April 20 (Reuters).—The hearing of an assault and battery charge against actress Jane Fonda was postponed yesterday in Cleveland Municipal Court until July 15. Miss Fonda is accused of kicking a Cleveland police officer on Nov. 3 while she was being held at Cleveland-Hopkins International Airport for a customs search.

Bolivian Slain in Bed LA PAZ, Bolivia, April 20 (UPI).—A former cabinet member, Col. Alberto Larrea, 56, was assassinated in bed yesterday by an unidentified gunman who broke a window in the bedroom and fired a burst with a sub-machine gun at his sleeping figure. There was no immediate explanation for the attack.

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Castro Says Cuba Scorns Ties With U.S.

ALIANI, April 20 (NYT).—Cuban Premier Fidel Castro stated last night that his government was "in no way" interested in establishing "normal relations" with the United States.

In a two-hour Havana speech, commemorating the tenth anniversary of the defeat of the U.S.-sponsored Bay of Pigs invasion, Mr. Castro said that Cuba has come to "scorn relations with the imperialist government of the United States, a government of genocide and decadence."

The premier indicated that his statement was a reply to President Nixon who Friday night declared that the United States would not normalize relations with Cuba "as long as Cuba adopts an anti-American line."

Emphasizing his militant posture, Premier Castro said that efforts by imperialists to domesticate and appease Cuba "will fail because of his government's 'revolutionary intransigence.'"

"We have supported, and we shall support, revolutionary movements in Latin America," Mr. Castro said. The premier also reiterated his strong condemnation of the Organization of American States, from which Cuba has been suspended as a member.

"We feel very well outside the OAS. In fact, better than inside," Mr. Castro said. "The OAS is an organization that is bound to disappear."

In another part of his speech, Mr. Castro pledged financial and military support to the governments of Chile and other revolutionary governments which he said are emerging in Latin America.

Selassie Off on Tour ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, April 20 (Reuters).—Ethiopia's Emperor Haile Selassie left here today for Eritrea to start a two-day state visit to Burundi.

Anti-Terror Gain Is Seen By Faulkner BELFAST, April 20 (UPI).—Prime Minister Brian Faulkner today claimed a measure of success in the government's continuing campaign to rid Northern Ireland of terrorism.

"Terrorists are beginning to realize that in the Royal Ulster Constabulary and the army they have taken on an implacable foe," Mr. Faulkner told the Belfast Chamber of Trade. "I can give the people of Northern Ireland an assurance that any outrage committed by terrorists only serves to strengthen the resolve of the government and security forces to hound the gunmen relentlessly," he said.

He said intensive searches and checks by the army and the police lately have yielded large hauls of weapons. More than 750 houses and 85,000 vehicles have been searched, he said. One machine gun, 11 rifles, 28 revolvers, explosives and almost 4,000 rounds of ammunition were seized.

His statement came after two gasoline bomb attacks in Belfast, the capital's only violence in the last 24 hours. The second of the two damaged a movie theater moments after the show let out last night. Employees of the Grove Theatre in the neutral Shore Road area managed to beat out the flames, a police spokesman said.

The theater is owned by Ernest Watson, who also owns a pub damaged by a gasoline bomb attack two nights ago in a Protestant area. Earlier, a gasoline bomb was ignited outside a West Belfast Orange hall in the Shankill Road area, but caused little damage.

Today, two bomb explosions blew out doors and windows and sent guests scattering in a hotel outside Belfast, the British Army said. A spokesman said there were no injuries although several soldiers and civilians were nearby when the explosions occurred. The bombs went off in the fifth-floor toilet of the Bangor Hotel, 11 miles from Belfast. It is a frequent haunt of British soldiers.

Later, another bomb exploded at the door of a building used to billet troops in the Roman Catholic Springfield Road in Belfast. There were no injuries.

Widows at 28 Is Family Jinx BRISTOL, England, April 20 (AP).—Mrs. Rosemary Stacey claims that her family is cursed by the number 28. Twenty-eight years old means widowhood.

"My great-grandfather died when his wife turned 28," she told a court here. "My grandfather was killed in World War I when his wife was 28. My father died in the next war when my mother was 28."

Mrs. Stacey is 28. A coroner's court ruled yesterday that her husband, Richard, died an accidental death when a tractor burped over on him. "I had told my husband about the family jinx and he had promised to be careful," she said.

New York State To Lay Off 8,250 ALBANY, N. Y., April 20 (UPI).—The layoffs of 8,250 state employees was announced yesterday by budget officials, who detailed widespread reductions in such public services as health, higher education and recreation.

"We are learning the hard way that affluence alone, material resources alone, social responsibility alone are not enough," Gov. Nelson Rockefeller declared in apologetic tones as his budget staff released data on the implementation of cuts totaling \$200 million in state agency funds already approved by the legislature.

In addition to the layoffs, which will begin within days, about 4,000 vacant state jobs will be abolished, according to the office of the director of the budget, Richard L. Dunham. The announcement of actual layoffs coincided with New York City Mayor John V. Lindsay's warning of major city layoffs.

Calif. Ratifies Voting Age SACRAMENTO, April 20 (UPI).—California yesterday became the 20th state to ratify a proposed constitutional amendment lowering the voting age to 18 in all elections. The legislature's action means that 18 more states must ratify the measure before it can become the 36th Amendment to the Constitution.

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The New Two-Chinas Policy

Vice-President Agnew has given a new meaning to the "two-Chinas" policy: There is his, and there is the President's. Curiously, for Mr. Agnew, he has not stated his attitude toward the rift in the bamboo curtain with ruffles and flourishes; rather he has done so in secret session with selected newsmen and the Republican governors. Perhaps he is uneasily conscious that ping-pong diplomacy was far from unwelcome to that "silent majority" he likes to arouse; perhaps he remembers Mr. Nixon's independent venture into Indochinese affairs as Vice-President, when, during the French war, there, he spoke of the possibility of just that American involvement which he is now so desperately trying to undo.

In any event, Mr. Agnew's opposition to easing tensions with Peking has an anti-diluvian flavor which one would have thought was flooded out by the Vietnamese war. One "conservative Republican" told a reporter: "The only people that I have heard disagreeing with Nixon on this one are Lester Maddox and Spiro T. Agnew."

The special relationship of the Vice-President to the administration and to his party makes Mr. Agnew's sally into foreign affairs (it was only a few days ago that Mr. Nixon praised the Vice-President's diplomatic talents) of particular significance in several respects. It is one thing when the President's strong right hand clobbers the opposition with greater freedom than the presidential

dignity permits; it is something else when it delivers a blow at the presidential chin.

But it is also interesting that the Vice-President is so lonely in his antagonism to any thaw in Sino-American relations. Evidently the "China lobby" of earlier days is not only dead but buried.

This does not mean that there is likely to be any enthusiasm in America for the China now exposed to the American press. The sight of university students, uniformly clad and marching as to war, is not one that would appeal to any but the lunatic fringe on the individualistic American campus. The highly visible hard-sell promotion of Chairman Mao would make the "selling of a President"—or of the Pentagon—look like a minor exercise in low-keyed persuasion.

This does not mean, however, that the United States has to imitate Peking in seeking to inculturate its young with an abiding hatred for another way of life. And, it might be pointed out, the welcome accorded the substitution of the tennis table for the diplomatic table among both the Chinese people and Americans would indicate that both are weary and skeptical of attempts to do just that.

Mr. Agnew, therefore, serves as a barometer of the public mood, rather than a generator for it. He probably has some support, apart from Mr. Maddox; he would gain more if events favored his stand—some acts or words from Peking, for example. But for the present, Mr. Nixon seems to have scored over his Vice-President.

Back to Khartoum?

The proposed new Arab federation of Egypt, Syria and Libya signals a dangerous turn from negotiation toward confrontation in the Middle East.

The federation of Arab republics probably would mean no serious short-term alteration in the Mideast military balance—as one Beirut editor noted, the Arabs need pilots more than paper alliances. But in time a militant working federation could greatly strengthen and broaden the Arab front against Israel, especially if it exerted pressure for a change of policy—if not of government—in Jordan.

The more immediate threat posed by the decision of the Egyptian, Syrian and Libyan leaders to unite is to the Jarring mission and other peace efforts. The declared policy of the new federation neither to negotiate with nor recognize Israel is a reversion to the negative Arab declaration at Khartoum in 1967, a renunciation of Egyptian President Sadat's recent positive movements toward peace.

This latest move toward Arab unity was clearly fostered by Mr. Sadat's growing frustration over Israel's negative response to his peace initiative. The future of the fed-

eration will depend largely on Israel's actions. If the Israeli government continues to put territory before peace, the Arab unity movement is likely to thrive, fed by common frustration and the desire for revenge, until Israel is surrounded by hostile forces that would negate the strategic advantage the Israelis have enjoyed on the 1967 cease-fire lines. Another round of conflict would be inevitable.

But it is still not too late to seize what former Israeli Premier David Ben-Gurion has called "the moment... for peace." The new federation apparently will not be formalized before a plebiscite is held Sept. 1 in the three countries involved. That still leaves time for Israel to put to the test President Sadat's declared desire for peace and his expressed willingness to accept the conditions laid down by the United Nations Security Council resolution of Nov. 22, 1967. A positive Israeli response to Egyptian proposals for reopening the Suez Canal—which may be the purpose of Deputy Premier Yigal Alon's sudden visit to Washington—could provide the opportunity for such a test.

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International Opinion

Peking and the U.S.

China is undoubtedly out to modify U.S. policy, because in the political and military field, where it is in conflict with Washington, it has not yet obtained any result. America considers itself bound by its security treaty with Taiwan, and violations of China's air and maritime space have given rise to many Chinese protests since the beginning of the year.

Peking, on the other hand, decided last month to increase its economic and military aid to the Indochinese guerrillas. This is why it is undoubtedly too early to contemplate a visit of Chou En-lai to the United States as some American press organs do. More than a détente between the two governments, it is preferable to speak of early indications of a thaw.

—From *Le Monde* (Paris).

The diplomatic ball is bouncing. It needs to bounce faster if the Chinese are not to retreat again behind the Great Wall of suspicion. In particular, America will have to vote to admit China—population 700,000,000—into the United Nations. The ping-pong path to peace still has obstacles.

—From *the Daily Mirror* (London).

With the departure of the U.S. team from Peking it is worthwhile thinking how the game will be continued. We can only guess that the Chinese leaders have decided to take advantage of the opportunity to break the diplomatic isolation to which they doomed themselves in the period of the "Cultural

Revolution" and to open the door to an agreement with the United States.

The United States is interested in the Chinese market—the biggest in the world. The United States is also interested in the possibility of getting out of the Vietnamese adventure. President Nixon and his counselors are probably seeking a way to end the war without losing face.

—From *Zycie Warszawy* (Warsaw).

The Russian Space Station
Given that Salyut is the first part of a station to which men and equipment will be dispatched shortly, then the pattern of Russian space endeavors will fall into a well-defined shape. Exploration of the rest of the solar system will be seen as confined to unmanned craft, with no ambition to send men to distant parts. Other more advanced remotely controlled devices similar to Lunokhod and the non-mobile package of instruments released on Venus can be expected for planetary investigations.

The so-called application satellites of which the Americans have made far greater use than the Russians for communications, weather forecasting and so on seem to have been given more support in past months. Manned flights form the third part of the Soviet space program. The 16 flights by men have constituted a logical process of establishing the ability to survive and work in earth orbit. All the jobs involved in building a station have been carried out in this period. It was only a matter of time before the Russians assembled enough expertise to place a permanent station in space.

—From *the Times* (London).

In the International Edition

Seventy-Five Years Ago

April 21, 1896

LONDON—The Central News says that the Donald Currie steamer Warwick Castle has been engaged as an extra transport and will take the 1st Middlesex Regiment to the Cape. She will leave Southampton on Saturday next, and Maj. Gen. Carrington, the new Commander-in-Chief in Rhodesia, will arrive from Gibraltar in time to sail in her with the other officers. The Union steamer Moor will also transport troops to South Africa.

Fifty Years Ago

April 21, 1921

WASHINGTON, D.C.—President Harding has promised conditionally to attend the celebration at Plymouth, Mass., on August 1 of the centenary of the landing of the Pilgrims. The President told a committee which called to extend the invitation that he would go if public business permitted. Later during the day, the President appointed Mr. Charles E. Burke of Pierre, S.D., as the new Commissioner of Indian Affairs.



'Let Me Say How Nice It Is to Stop Cursing the Darkness.'

The Crazy Checkerboard

By C. L. Sulzberger

MASERU, Lesotho.—This little African country, formerly Britain's protectorate of Basutoland, has been independent for five years. It bears the same relationship to the South African Republic as San Marino does to Italy, being entirely surrounded and thus vulnerable to isolation from the outer world at the whim of another government.

Nevertheless, with no armed forces and with a pitiful economy, Lesotho maintains an independent policy. Chief Leabua Jonathan, the prime minister, a round, dark man with rimless spectacles who is boss of Lesotho's population of a million blacks, says:

"I favor a non-racial society with equal opportunity for all. South Africa's policy of apartheid cannot possibly work. I am certain it will fail, both for moral and practical reasons. And we differ from South Africa on foreign policy. On many occasions we have taken an altogether different stand at the United Nations."

One of Triumvirate

Lesotho is one of three independent nations bearing the black man's burden in southern Africa—together with Botswana and Swaziland. Their status stems from special treaties Britain negotiated with their tribal rulers before the union of South Africa and its successor, the republic.

Yet their wobbly existence points to a way out of the present dead-end road pursued by the republic's racial policy of apartheid. The obvious ultimate solution, pondered by thoughtful

South Africans, is a surgical operation partitioning their wealthy country into a series of viable independent black states, having access to each other or the sea, and one contiguous white-dominated state in which the white population would be sufficiently large to grant all citizens equal opportunity without fear of being submerged.

A start has been made in this direction. Apart from working out correct relations with Lesotho, Botswana and Swaziland, Pretoria has created a semi-autonomous Bantu (black) state called the Transkei and is preparing for home rule in others including Zululand, Ciskei, South Sotho and the area of the republic dominated by the Tswanas.

Plan Has Flaws

At this stage the plan is inadequate, reserving only 13 percent of South Africa's area for Bantu homelands. No politician has the audacity to propose its enlargement. The result is a crazy checkerboard with three backward, independent nations, plus a plan for ultimately eight "bantustans" with limited autonomy.

Yet if these were expanded and welded together, true independence in equal rights societies could be granted to the majority of South Africa's blacks. Tribal areas inhabited by different peoples speaking different languages would be joined into free nations.

Unfortunately, no politician is sufficiently bold to push for this now and partial results remain depressing. What might with imagination and generosity become a "Southern African Commonwealth" by genuine par-

tion on a grand scale is still a negative prospect. What remains instead is both immoral and impractical. Apart from the Dutch Reformed Church of the Afrikaners, which split congregations by color in 1957 and believes the children of Ham are predestined to subordinate status, other religions have fought apartheid fiercely. Since the 16th century Roman Catholicism has opposed racial discrimination and is now in the forefront of the anti-apartheid movement—closely followed by the Church of England.

Expensive, Inhuman

The existing system of duplicate facilities for whites, blacks, Asians and mixed bloods, while excluding the latter from skilled work, is economically expensive and coldly inhuman. Now the government is gingerly embarking on a program of entreating foreign dignitaries from black states, but a white foreman can't invite a black worker.

Japanese, with whom much business is done, are white under some laws, colored under others. A woman suddenly classified as colored has to cease living with her white husband. A couple classified as white loses control of its children classified as colored. George Orwell couldn't have imagined worse.

Maj. Gen. Sir Francis de Guinand, once Montgomery's chief of staff and now president of the South Africa Foundation, an organization whose tenets are about as liberal as those of Herbert Hoover, says:

"It seems to me only logical that while pursuing friendly and cooperative relationships with African leaders from beyond our borders, we should at least maintain the same relationships with black, colored and Indian leaders in South Africa itself... In the one great field that troubles us most, that of human geography, of social engineering, we appear almost paralyzed by doubt and indecision."

Letters

'My Country...'

Fortunately for America, there are many who subscribe to the theory of "My Country Right or Wrong" and some of them are new Americans. Some others have the vested interest of many generations of sacrifice that made America the magnificent country it is in undeniable fact. Of these some are, of course, inclined toward smugness. Not all, however, are blind, deaf, and dumb. They can appreciate how little America means to recent immigrants, or even to their children and grandchildren, who chose to go to America only because it afforded them physical safety and economic opportunity. Generations of experience in sniffing danger to their lives and pocketbooks have conditioned them to scurrying again to the safest place of the moment. No country can count on their loyalty or gratitude. Adding insult to the injury they do, they rationalize, usually with rhetoric so devastating that it takes another new American like Spiro Agnew to match it.

HELSEK DE MORELOS, Paris.

Capt. Daniel's Letter

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Help From 'Imperialist'

I was disappointed that the report you published on April 12 and 13 by Tilmann Durbin of the New York Times on the "rebellion" in Ceylon somehow failed to mention that the Ceylonese government had urgently appealed to the United States for arms, for nothing lays bare more clearly the fundamental hypocrisy of the left-wing position on Vietnam. At last, on the 14th, appeared a United Press reference to a "sensible triangular arrangement" by which American helicopters would be "transmitted" to Ceylon via Britain, an arrangement which the same dispatch indicates was kept hidden from the Ceylonese population. Well it might be, for Mrs. Bandaranaike is one of those American supporters for South Vietnam, but now threatened by her own Viet Cong at home, she and her leftist government would understandably prefer to overlook the inconsistencies of begging help from American "aggressors" and "imperialists."

HENRY BOSIN

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Peering at N.H. Primary

Clouded Crystal Ball

By David S. Broder

MANCHESTER, N.H.—Slogging along a chilly street here last week, wet snow soaking through his raincoat, Maine's Democratic National Committee man George Mitchell watched his old friend, Sen. Edmund S. Muskie, and the pack of television cameramen and reporters moving in phalanx against the noontime shoppers' flow, and made the only sensible comment.

"My God," said Mitchell, "we've got a year and a half of this to go through."

That comment was not only sensible, it was important. The newspapers and television news shows are so full of campaign scenes these days that it takes an act of will to remember that the election really is more than 18 months away. More candidates are campaigning more earnestly and more expensively for the nominations than ever before. And yet it is necessary—at the risk of personal unemployment—to underline George Mitchell's reminder that very little that is happening at this stage of the race is likely to have much bearing on the outcome.

There are exceptions—mainly negative ones. If a prospective candidate blows up in public, breaks up with his wife, mangles his position on a key issue or offends a major contributor, he can find himself on the sidelines, watching the parade go by. That has happened to someone in most past campaigns, but except for Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, this year's potential Democratic contenders have looked relatively accident-proof.

As for the positive indicators one would need to guess, the outcome of the race, Muskie's visit here last weekend showed just how lacking they are.

First in the U.S.
New Hampshire's primary next March 15 is the first in the nation. If anything could be predicted about 1971, it ought to be the outcome of that primary. But the fact is that the essential prerequisites for judging the New Hampshire picture are not yet in hand: Neither the names of the contestants nor their reaction with the voters can be gauged with any accuracy.

Muskie will surely be in New Hampshire, and Sen. George McGovern of South Dakota has declared himself in. There could be a two-way contest, most of the local Democratic officials would bet heavily on Muskie's winning. He is a comfortable old friend of the organization regulars, and he displayed considerable rapport with the Eugene McCarthy liberals who upset the regulars' appointee in 1968.

But no one knows if Muskie and McGovern will have New Hampshire to themselves, and there is considerable reason to doubt that they will. Several of the old-line leaders are urging Sen. Henry M. Jackson of Washington to come in. If he agrees, Jackson, with his labor support and record of being liberal on domestic issues and hard-line on national security, might change the lineup of forces considerably.

So again, if history is any guide, it would indicate that the primary will affect the polls much more than the polls affect the primary. A win by any of the Democrats in New Hampshire would give him both greater recognition and greater approval in subsequent polls than anything he has done until then.

So unless you know the winner of the first primary, it is almost certain you will not know the subsequent standing of the polls. Unless you know that, it is impossible to judge the outcome of the nomination battle.

Enjoy this season's campaign stories if that's your game. Writing them is a livelihood for some of us, and there is no evidence that anyone has been harmed seriously by reading them. But, for goodness sake, don't put much stock in them.

Uneasy Rider

By Tom Wicker

LULA, Ga.—In the window of the Red Top Restaurant here, in red, white and blue letters, a public appeal has been prominently posted. It reads: "L.A. Calley Is Not 'Gully.' Let Him Go. Gettysburg Address Says, Government of the People, by the People, for the People 'Shall Not Perish' From the Earth."

This may appear a remarkable mixture. What has the famous quotation to do with L.A. Calley? And why should Lincoln's commemoration of the greatest Union victory of the Civil War be cited in this small north Georgia town?

Actually, the answer to the first question is fairly obvious. Around here, Calley is a popular hero. In the lobby of the Lula elementary school his photo is superimposed on the field of stars in an American-flag design, under the caption: "He Defended Us. Let's Defend Him."

But even if freeing Calley is a cause of the people, by the people and for the people in Lula, the sign in the Red Top window is still a fair representation of the confusions—moral and other—one finds when traveling almost anywhere in America today. Driving north from Atlanta, for instance, long after one has left behind that city's flashy skyscrapers and motels, the apartment house suburbs, shopping centers, office-building clusters, and light industrial parks sprawl over the hills and through what were once pine forests—a long urban arc reaching out from the city for miles into the Georgia countryside.

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Health Again Asks Guarantees On Lockheed's Airbus Future

By John M. Lee

LONDON, April 20 (NFT).—The Minister of Health, Edward Heath, has again asked the government's assistance on guarantees concerning the future of the Lockheed TriStar aircraft before proceeding with the Rolls-Royce engine to power the plane.

Asked in the House of Commons about optimistic reports from New York concerning progress in the long Lockheed negotiations, Mr. Heath replied: "We consider it essential to have guarantees about the future of the aircraft to implement the policy of the engine."

In the context of the question, it appeared that Mr. Heath was referring to some form of guarantee by the U.S. government. "There has been speculation that Treasury Secretary John Connally is about to announce a \$500 million government-guaranteed loan to Lockheed."

Pressed for Details
Pressed in the House of Commons by Liberal party leader Jeremy Thorpe to disclose any details of negotiations with Washington on federal guarantees, Mr. Heath replied: "It was responsible to say when a statement would be made."

In other Rolls-Royce developments, a senior cabinet minister said in a speech that the government was determined that the Rolls-Royce aircraft engine business would have the capabilities of completing the Lockheed engine project.

John Davies, minister of trade and industry, addressing a luncheon of the American Chamber of Commerce in the United Kingdom, defended Rolls against suggestions that its collapse had been not just a commercial disaster but a technical one too.

He said, "The technical capacity of this company is undiminished, and it is equal to carrying on to success and a happy outcome the development of this engine."

Mr. Davies said fears that the company would be diminished by government ownership were unfounded.

The government had to ensure the future competence of the company.

Seoul Arrests 51 Communist Spies

SEOUL, April 20 (Reuters).—South Korea's Defense Ministry today announced the arrest of 51 spies for North Korea alleged to have attempted to incite mass uprisings to topple the government during the current presidential election campaign.

The spies, officially described as the largest number yet rounded up in South Korea, formed four rings and were arrested last Sunday in Seoul, the southernmost city of Pusan and on the southernmost island of Cheju, the ministry added.

Stans in Madrid

MADRID, April 20 (Reuters).—R. Commerce Secretary Maurice Stans arrived here by air today for a two-day official visit during which he will discuss strengthening of U.S. trade and investment relations with Spain.

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OOPS—Twelve stories up on a bank building in Worcester, Mass., window washer Gus Silva holds on for dear life after his scaffolding collapsed. Twenty minutes later he was rescued uninjured. His partner had been rescued before the picture was made.

Japanese Successfully Test Artificial Blood in Animals

OSAKA, Japan, April 21 (Reuters).—Japanese scientists have produced artificial blood which they believe will be in general use in hospitals around the world within four to five years.

The only serious problem so far encountered in the research being carried out here on dogs is that the artificial product has no clotting capability.

The artificial blood is the result of research by Dr. Chuji Fujita, associate professor at nearby Kobe University in western Japan.

Dr. Fujita says his research is urgent, because in many countries there is a dwindling number of blood donors.

Impossible Demands
Increasing numbers of motor accidents and major surgery requiring massive blood transfusions are placing impossible demands on hospital supplies, he said.

And particularly in the United States, "bad" blood from drug addicts is increasing the chances of serum hepatitis, an often fatal liver disease.

Dr. Fujita began his research two-and-a-half years ago. He says it has progressed so well that he is confident artificial blood will be in use in hospitals throughout the world within four or five years. It can be mixed with any blood type no matter how rare, but its lack of a clotting agent would prohibit its use for hemophiliacs.

Animals Kept Alive
Dogs, guinea pigs and rabbits have all been successfully kept alive for long periods on artificial blood, Dr. Fujita said, adding that no animal's death has been directly caused by the blood transfusions.

Two beagles are the stars of his research program. They have lived for the past four months on 80 percent artificial blood, mixed with 20 percent of their own.

The blood is basically a white fluorocarbon emulsion, produced by a Japanese company, which is mixed with other components such as glycerine. Fluorocarbon carries solubilized oxygen through the body's tissues.

Transfusion Problem
Dr. Fujita has found only one transfusion problem—fluorocarbon particles are absorbed into the liver and spleen, causing cell structural changes.

But he said the changes have no effect on the operating efficiency of the two organs, and he is confident that the cell changes can be reversed.

Clash at Russian Concert
LEEDS, England, April 20 (UPI).—Police clashed last night with demonstrators protesting Soviet treatment of Jews at the end of a performance by the Red Army singers and dancers of Kiev, police said. Ten persons were arrested.



British Lord Chief Justice Sir John Fassmore Wiggery, 59, was sworn in yesterday, succeeding Sir Hubert Lister Parker.

Greece Marks 4 Years of Junta

ATHENS, April 20 (UPI).—The government today opened celebrations of the fourth anniversary of the military takeover of April 21, 1967, with pledges to hang on to power until it fulfills its aims.

In a televised message to the nation, Regent Gen. George Zoiakias said the coup "succeeded in protecting our country from the tempest of international anarchy and in building the foundations of economic development, stability and progress."

The regent said there are still problems requiring solutions, but he added that the Greek armed forces have reached a high degree of efficiency, "as highly placed officials of the North Atlantic Alliance have admitted."

Industry Urged to Reconcile Growth, Pollution Controls

VIENNA, April 20 (AP).—A British scientist today urged an international meeting of business leaders to reconcile efforts toward economic growth with the needs of man in an increasingly polluted environment.

Sir Solly Zuckerman, chief scientific adviser to the British government, was the main speaker at the 23rd congress of the International Chamber of Commerce, which opened here yesterday.

A renowned anatomist and zoologist, Sir Solly presented a background report to the 1,400 delegates from 80 countries discussing the possibility for private enterprise to play an increasing role in fighting pollution of human environment.

Other key topics under discussion at the ICC congress are efforts toward more trade liberalization around the globe and the problem of giving developing countries a better share in world trade.

Speaking on the conference theme "Technical Progress and Society—A Challenge to Private Enterprise," Sir Solly said: "Because time is not on our side, there is a danger that the environmental problems may become worse, whatever is done to cure them."

Calling for the reconciliation of what he called conflicting interests, the British scientist said: "Industry has to be given its head and has to be allowed to innovate if economic growth is to match the growing demand for higher physical standards of living on the one hand and the growth of population on the other. So, too, must agriculture."

"But equally, decisions which are taken in the light of present considerations of the efficient use of economic resources have to be such that they do not indirectly help destroy the physical environment of tomorrow."

Sir Solly said private industry is increasingly recognizing its responsibility for dealing with the possible adverse effects of certain technological developments.

He added that this recognition is already being reflected in the competitive process, from the point of view of the consumer, by the choice being offered among different products designed to fulfill similar needs.

"The situation may well develop where the more socially acceptable a product from this point of view, the greater the edge it will come to have over a competitor," Sir Solly said.

He called for better forecasting and monitoring techniques to help discern adverse environmental consequences in advance and to help decide how best to employ investment resources.

At Least 24 Die As Fire Destroys Bangkok Hotel

BANGKOK, April 20 (Reuters).—Fire swept a hotel here before dawn today, killing at least 24 people, police said.

Among the dead were nine Americans, an Egyptian, a West German and a number of Thais. Twenty-five persons suffered burns.

The identity and nationalities of a number of the victims were not immediately known as the blaze destroyed all the hotel records and the guests' personal belongings.

The fire broke out about 4 a.m. local time at the four-story Imperial Hotel, in the center of Bangkok. It raged for four hours.

U. S. Army, Navy and Air Force firefighters helped local firemen to fight the flames.

Police announced they were holding a 30-year-old Thai cook for questioning. They said the fire—Bangkok's worst in several years—was believed to have started in a coffee shop on the ground floor.

Bulgaria, Closest Soviet Ally, Will Aim at Ties With China

By Dan Morgan

SOFIA, April 20 (UPI).—Bulgaria, the Soviet Union's loyal ally, will make efforts to normalize relations with both China and Albania despite differences, according to a major policy pronouncement today by Communist leader Todor Zhivkov.

Mr. Zhivkov's speech to the opening session of the 10th Bulgarian Party Congress was watched closely for possible clues to Communist bloc policy, particularly in light of the recent warming up of relations between China and the United States.

Five years ago, Mr. Zhivkov was tapped to propose the World Communist Summit Conference which took place later in Moscow. But Western diplomats said his speech today, which was applauded by visiting Soviet Leader Leonid I. Brezhnev, was inconclusive though perhaps somewhat more moderate on foreign policy than expected.

Mr. Brezhnev was the only major party leader to attend the opening session, though the Hungarian and Polish chiefs are expected to arrive tomorrow.

Mr. Zhivkov attacked the "slandorous efforts" of the Chinese to split the Communist movement and the "anti-Sovietism and opportunism" of the pro-Chinese Albanian regime. But in both cases he added that Bulgaria would continue to try to normalize relations.

Poor Relations
The poor state of relations between Bulgaria and another Balkan neighbor, Yugoslavia, was attested to by the failure of the Belgrade regime to send a delegation to the congress at all. Instead the Yugoslav ambassador to Sofia attended as an observer.

The main business of the congress will be to ratify the first new Communist party program since the founding in 1951 of the Bulgarian Marxist party, which quickly developed along Bolshevik lines. The new program is highly orthodox and formally links its success to the "indissoluble Bulgaro-Soviet friendship—an example of internationalism in action."

Security Pact Proposed
SOFIA, April 20 (AP).—Bulgaria today proposed a security pact among all Balkan nations pledging renunciation of force and respect of territorial integrity.

Mr. Zhivkov said a "joint declaration" by all Balkan countries should cover the respect of territorial integrity, non-interference in domestic affairs, renunciation of force, security and good-neighborly relations.

Finns, Russians Sign Trade Pact
MOSCOW, April 20 (Reuters).—The Soviet Union and Finland, will be able to conclude "new major agreements" shortly, Soviet Premier Alexei N. Kosygin said today after he and Premier Abti Karjalainen signed a treaty on the development of economic, technical and industrial cooperation between the two nations.

Officials of the two sides also signed agreements on the supply of Soviet natural gas to Finland and Finnish steel pipes to Russia. Finnish cooperation in the construction of a timber enterprise in Soviet Karelia, and Soviet assistance in building Finland's second atomic power station.

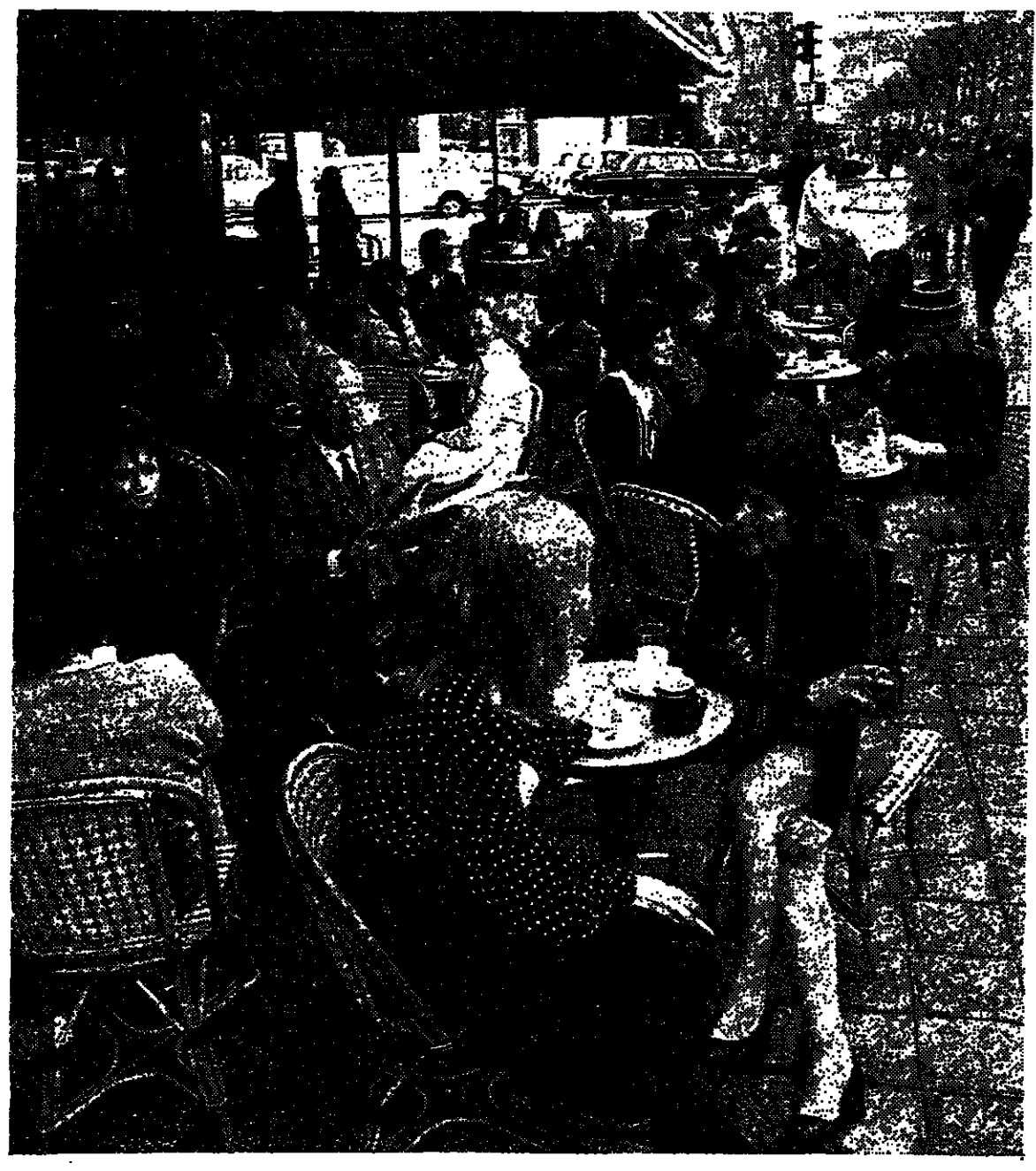
Mr. Karjalainen, who arrived yesterday on his first visit as premier, leaves Moscow today for the Crimean resort of Yalta.

Three Israeli officers, including a colonel, were killed today when their vehicle ran over an explosive charge near the old Israeli-Jordan border, the military announced.

Four other soldiers in the vehicle were wounded, a spokesman said.

The incident, near Beit Jurbin, 25 miles southwest of Jerusalem, was one of the worst since the Mideast cease-fire began eight months ago.

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FASHION

The Trends: Knits, Furs, Suedes, Blazers and Kitsch

By Eugenia Sheppard

PARIS, April 20.—Two of the world's greatest shopping places are the bazaar in Istanbul and the Palais des Expositions at the Porte de Versailles in Paris, where the ready-to-wear salon is underway.

Through the Turkish bazaar is dirty and the palace is meticulously clean, they are comparable for size and enthusiasm, and for the awe-inspiring number of things laid out under one roof to buy.

Luckily, the booths that line the crisscross passage-ways tend to a certain similarity in their

fashions, so it comes down to hunting for the best quality at the best price, and it isn't any easier than it is at the Istanbul bazaar, which has its trends, too. One year it's bangle bracelets and the next ruby rings with not a bangle in sight.

At the Porte de Versailles, the booths are decorated exactly alike with white plastic chairs, tables and stools. Some of the fashions that repeat almost as regularly as the decor, whether it's the budget or the luxury ready-to-wear section, the boutiques of the furs are: The jacquard knit sweaters and jerseys; the quilted look, actually stitched or part of a print; the

long-haired furs, real or fake; the suedes, the blazers, and the cape coats that are in every fabric.

Less obvious is the trend to kitsch, a word new to fashion that stands for chic ugliness. The fake fur chubbies in bright colors are kitsch. Corval, one of the best exhibitors in the show, is kitsch all the way through. This house shows a monkey fur blazer and a chubby of mixed black and white mongrel goat. Responsible in other years for the wet look and the antique look in leather, Corval is now pushing Robin Hood tunics of brown suede, studded with little brass shields. They make a medieval, clanking sound when the wearer moves.

Salesgirls in the booth wear the chicest hot pants in the show. They are heavy pigskin saddle stitched in white. Courrèges was bounding happily through the exhibition hall wearing a jumpsuit of baby blue and white checks and white boots. Behind him, the booth that shows his least expensive knit collection, Hyperbole, was full of curious buyers.

The Courrèges message is the long sweater, patterned or plain, worn over knit shorts that are almost Bermuda length. Courrèges is one of four couture members, including Lanvin,

Lapidus and Guy Laroche, who have joined the hot polka at the Porte de Versailles to show their ready-to-wear. Lanvin has a goodlooking group of jacquard knit fashions designed by Bernard de Vaux. The jersey dresses with bands of color or patterns knit at the cuffs and hem. One-piece dresses combine rib knit, turtle-neck tops and jacquard skirts. Knit fashions have never reached such a peak of excitement before. There are literally thousands of them, mostly patterned, in this one building, and no two quite alike. The culmination of the sweater cult is at Ruyter, who has one with the New York skyline knit in. Kitsch, again.

Enthusiastic Buyers Buyers are all raving about Blue Marine, where the clothes are classical and, by the time they reach America, will look more expensive than they are. Among the arrivals will be light color, smooth fabric coats belted in leather, and long jacket suits covered with fish, bulls and lions.

The lamb-lined suede coats that Begood started in Israel got on and on and are more popular than ever. The most attractive are the brown suedes with a narrow rim of brown lamb showing, but the favorites seem to be the

been sources for American buyers, but the press is looking for the first time. One such source is Norbert Nel, whose fitted jersey coat with padded and extended shoulders looks like an early Joan Crawford item. It has been a mad favorite with American buyers.

Formal Clothes There's almost nothing you can't find if you put your mind to it. Though the trend doesn't run that way, there are even formal evening clothes at Anne-Marie. The long, black chiffon with pleated angel-wing sleeves that reach the floor, as many others, are designed by Jacques de la Haye.

At the other end of the elegance scale are the denim painted with jungle foliage to look like army camouflage clothes. The Paris girls not in chubbies are already in these. Emma Sommes, daughter of the British ambassador, had on her camouflage denim at one of the openings the other day. The latest new fabric is a silk and wool mixture, painted and glazed in little figures that represent the signs of the zodiac. So far there are coats and suits covered with fish, bulls and lions.

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Fur chubbies, wedgies—the looks of things to come.

Art In London

Richard Demarco, Zaydler Gallery, 39, Harrington Road, London, S.W.7, to April 22.

Unbelievably spry, Ethelbert White who celebrates his 80th birthday this year, has an excellent selection of 47 oils and watercolors, the earliest dated 1912, the latest 1968. A member in turn of the three most important English avant-garde groups—the Camden Town Group, the London Group and the New English Club—he is equally at home with landscape and town scene, and paints with equal facility and facility in oils and watercolor.

The early watercolors 1912-1914 bring a freshness to English landscape painting not present before that time; and the oils of the mid-1920s show wonderfully the actual process of abstraction from the landscape, especially in "The Pattern of Winter" painted in 1924. This exhibition is a long overdue homage to one of our major talents, the most pleasurable feature of all being that Ethelbert White and his life-long companion, his wife, are both still with us to enjoy the celebration.

Alexander Calder, Gimpel Fils, 50 South Molton Street, London W.1, to May 15.

Calder's celebrated mobiles have taken a new and lighter-hearted turn—they now come in the form of small stylized birds and beasts, brightly painted, and with mobile heads and horns, or when static in crinkled metal. And the accompanying gouaches are in the same spirit, although they range more widely and frequently outside the animal kingdom. I should add that his life-long companion, his wife, are both still with us to enjoy the celebration.

The Old West, Slidmore Gallery, 35, Ebury Place, Ebury Square, London W.1, to May 1.

The Slidmore specializes in animal paintings and sculpture, and makes the point in the most informative catalogue that without the horse, the best westerns in America could never have taken place. Gathered here are drawings, paintings and sculpture celebrating the event, notably by R. Farrington Ewell, who as a young man was taken West by Buffalo Bill Cody, and by him was introduced to the earlier generation of Western illustrators, Russell and Remington for example, in whose tradition he worked.

The main part of this exhibition is a collection of paintings and gouaches by the living British painter Terence Cuneo, who made a long stay in Texas and Arizona in the 1950s and was inspired equally by the magnificent landscape and the cowboy folklore and history. Adding strength to the sculptural part of the show are bronzes of bison and bear by Rembrandt Bugatti, a cowboy in bronze by Prince Troubetzkoy, and a mountain lioness by the Canadian Primrose Proctor.

The Small and Secret Spaces, Richard Demarco, Zaydler Gallery, 39, Harrington Road, London, S.W.7, to April 22.

The Scottish gallery keeper and international art impresario Richard Demarco is no mean artist himself. In this, his latest show, he exhibits 70 drawings and gouaches of "the spaces between buildings... a certain kind of unmade space which is as intriguing to me as any equivalent in landscape." These are the favorite quiet corners which still make European cities bearable, for unmechanical man, the pedestrian, the wanderer, the stroller and starrer. The exhibition, of course, points up the human danger; for a number of these secret spaces have already been bulldozed in the name of modernity, and others are being damned, often as slums, to the most immediate destruction. Demarco not only demonstrates his own intimate London spaces, but invites visitors to list their own favorite small spaces, with a view to these later being portrayed and commented upon.

Portraits as Pictures, Dyer Rowenor Gallery, 19, Upper Grosvenor Street, London, W.1, to May 1.

The 19th annual exhibition of the "Contemporary Portraits Society" includes 80 paintings and a dozen portrait sculptures. And the selection committee of 15 members of the society has settled for safety and orthodoxy rather than for enterprise, as worthy workmanlike and tasteful, but little inspiration.

MAX WELLS-JOYCE

A Witty Lesson in History

By Thomas Quinn Curtiss

PARIS, April 20.—In the tiny, unadorned Théâtre Epée de Bois, just off the Rue Mouton-Duveroy, the TSE company is presenting a panorama of world drama, "L'Histoire du Théâtre," tracing the theatrical instinct from its stirrings in ancient Egypt to Tennessee Williams.

"L'Histoire du Théâtre" is a purely aesthetic exercise. Its text was written by Javier Arroyuelo and Rafael Lopez Sanchez, and Alfredo Rodriguez Arias has directed the production, for which Roberto Flatto supplied the decor and Juan Stoppini an amusing, stylized wardrobe.

Three talented players—Marucha Bo, Fernando Bo and Christian Bokoyev—enact its sketches which parody the changing theatrical forms of the last three thousand years, while Zobeida Jaza, serving as mistress of ceremonies, comments on the development of the drama. Her lecture is light, witty and erudite.

At the start Marucha Bo steps nude from a seashell, the muse Thalia comes to teach men how to make believe. We have glimpses of the sayr plays, born of the Dionysian rituals, with their phallic worship. Veils clothe the naked light-bringer as Greek tragedy and Roman comedy take the stage.

The theatrical flowering that began in the Renaissance is illustrated with short-order verities of commedia dell'arte performance with its stock characters, Machiavelli's "La Mandragola," "La Celestina," to represent the hour of Spain's glory, "Macbeth," and a Molière comedy at its most ceremonious with lackeys everlastingly opening and closing doors.

Goethe's "Faust" and Hugo's introduction of the romantic melodrama, "Hernani," are accorded a spoofing. Then Miss Jana's commentary outlines the modern movement of what followed—Shaw, Strindberg, Chekhov, Brecht, Max Reinhardt and Gordon Craig, we arrive at

Theater In Paris

"A Streetcar Named Desire," bits of which are acted out in the flickering movements of the early cinema.

This little show has originality, wit and sparkle. It is the story of the drama recounted in the style of a literary cabaret revue. It is as full of interesting information on theatrical ways and means as a book by Prof. James Brander Matthews, but it is fun. It is learning made painless. You will learn as you laugh. It is just the entertainment for a spring evening. Since the Théâtre Epée de Bois holds only 80 spectators, you had best reserve. The box office telephone number is 567-13-93.

The TSE (The initials stand for nothing; they were chosen by the group because its members thought they sounded good.) troupe made its Parisian debut with considerable clamor when it presented "Eva Peron," a surrealist biography of the late wife of Argentina's former dictator. Written by the gifted cartoonist from the Argentine, Copi, its political content, expressed in fantastic form with the heroine enacted by a female impersonator, remained vague to the uninitiated. In a series of cinematic flashes, we beheld the unhappy Eva rising to movie stardom, her marriage to an ambitious army officer and her attempt, after he had taken power,

to found a women's liberation movement in South America. The piece included plots to assassinate the lady and questioned the cause of her early death. The Copi notions offended some, but it was never clear whether it was the Peronists or the anti-Peronists who were angered. In any case, one night a band invaded the theater, attacked the actors and audience and tore down some of the scenery. The police were summoned and stood guard at subsequent performances, while news reports of the scandal increased the demand for tickets to such a degree that the engagement of the play was extended.

The French production of "Oh! Calcutta" is to open at the Elysee-Montmartre early in May. Kenneth Tynan, its original organizer and one of the authors, has issued the following statement: "In New York and London I was the doxer and part-author of the revue 'Oh! Calcutta!' which is still running in both cities. A show of the same name is opening shortly in Paris. On legal advice, the producers (as is their right) have decided to omit considerably more than half of the items used in the English-language versions, and to replace them with new material of their own."

I wish them every success, but I should like to make it clear that their version of 'Oh! Calcutta!' is not mine, that I did not write any of it and that I bear no artistic responsibility for it."

On the Arts Agenda

Several of the musical formations of the French Radio will give widely varied programs in the Festival de Musique de l'ORTF through April 30 at the Théâtre de la Ville in Paris, in one-hour concerts beginning at 6:30 p.m. The National Orchestra under Charles Munch closes the first week. On April 27, the ORTF Choral Solists under Couraud do works by Penderecki, Obana, Malec and Xenakis, followed by the ORTF String Quartet with soprano Jane Rhodes as soloist with Stravinsky and Respighi, the Orchestre Lyrique and soloists under Pierre-Michel Le Conte perform Egoner's oratorio "Le Roi David," and Marius Constant conducts the Orchestre Philharmonique in works by Messiaen and Jolivet, with soprano Colette Herzog as soloist.

The vacation courses in French art by the Ecole du Louvre from July 1 to 29, Sundays excepted, include a series in the history of French architecture and sculpture (July 1-15) and one in the history of painting (July 15-29), as well as a complementary series of conferences-visits relating to these fields. Information may be had from the Secretariat of the Ecole du Louvre, 24, Quai du Louvre, Paris-1.

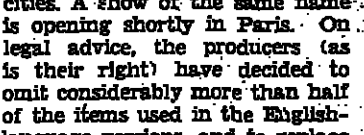
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Mark Now Approaches Reserve Currency Role

By Clyde H. Farnsworth
German financial centers do not yet have the sophisticated financial and money-market instruments and services to support a full-fledged reserve currency.

Central banks, here for the regular monthly meeting of the Bank for International Settlements, placed the official holdings of Deutsche marks at more than \$1 billion and said the figure had mounted sharply in the last year.

Foreign central banks now own many more dollars than are redeemable in U.S. gold.

Official Sterling Balances
Countries in the sterling area link part of their reserves in pounds in London.

Since the International Monetary Fund's creation in 1970 of Special Drawing Rights, world reserves were supposed to grow only by international consensus.

A reserve status earns a country special privileges—the right to run balance-of-payments deficits without taking the conventional deflationary measures of redressment—as well as providing stimulus for expanding domestic financial services.

Another proclaimed advantage is the ease with which the reserve status nation can export capital to buy industries in other countries, as the capital is added to reserves and does not drain the exporting country's resources.

Central banking sources said they were uncertain whether the DM phenomenon would be anything more than temporary.

They pointed to the fact that

New French Giant Created By Merger

Ugine Kuhlmann Link With Pechiney Final

PARIS, April 20.—France's largest industrial group in terms of annual sales was created Monday—the day Ugine Kuhlmann merged with Pechiney became effective.

The merger plan, announced last September, became effective Monday with a share exchange equal to 8 Ugine Kuhlmann shares for 9 Pechiney shares.

The new Pechiney-Ugine Kuhlmann group will have a combined turnover of 15 billion francs (\$2.7 billion), putting it into the top ten largest industrial companies outside the United States and making it No. 1 in France.

Some 30 percent of the group's activities is in aluminum, 21 percent in copper, 21 percent in chemicals, 13 percent in special steels and ferro-alloys and 15 percent in nuclear and other activities.

For Pechiney, primarily engaged in aluminum and copper, the merger is an opportunity to diversify, especially into stainless steel and nickel.

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Turnover rose to 4.5 billion francs from 3.7 billion in the previous year.

Some bankers believe that if the official settlements deficit continued at the same rate for the year, the international monetary system could not withstand the strain.

French Warn of Inconveniences
PARIS, April 20 (AP-DJ)—The growing Eurodollar market and the inconveniences created by its unruly movements "can't go on unchecked for long."

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"Dollars are no longer created by the U.S. Federal Reserve or by U.S. banks, but by the uncontrolled Eurodollar market. I don't think this market can go on unchecked for long," he said.

Sales, Profits Decline at Goodrich

NEW YORK, April 20.—Sales and profits dropped sharply during the first three months of the year, B.F. Goodrich Co. reported today.

First Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 289.94 304.27
Profits (millions)... 4.47 7.95
Per Share... 0.31 0.55

Earnings dropped 44 percent on a 14.2 percent decline in turnover. Harry B. Warner, president, told stockholders today that the company expects a major improvement in its performance throughout the rest of the year.

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Dow Chemical's Earnings Up 3.4%

day in its income before securities transactions. The first-quarter figure was \$14 million, or \$1.4 a share, which represented a 23 percent increase from the \$11.7 million, or 93 cents a share, earned in the first three months last year.

Donald M. Graham, chairman, attributed the rise to a "dramatic decrease in interest expense" at the bank. This, he said, more than offset a sharp "decrease in interest income as a result of reductions in the prime rate."

Mr. Graham warned that Continental probably would not be able to match the strong first-quarter results later in the year. Conill's net income—including gains on sales of investment securities of \$973,000 in 1971 and \$649,000 in 1970—was \$20.4 million, or \$1.9 a share, in the latest quarter, up 24 percent from the \$16.4 million, or 97 cents, reported last year.

First Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 111.8 109.8
Profits (millions)... 5.5 5.2
Per Share... 0.48 0.46

Second Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 65.3 66.5
Profits (millions)... 1.70 1.60
Per Share... 0.62 0.58

Third Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 130.9 131.5
Profits (millions)... 3.70 3.40
Per Share... 0.98 1.23

Fourth Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 107.1 102.7
Profits (millions)... 3.15 2.13*

Annual 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 415.1 410.5
Profits (millions)... 15.05 13.89
Per Share... 0.26 0.24*

First Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 372.02 410.85
Profits (millions)... 1.25 8.04
Per Share... 0.04 0.59

Second Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 197.1 197.0
Profits (millions)... 143.2 122.3
Profits (millions)... 0.43 -1.03
Per Share... 0.65 -0.19

Third Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 456.9 451.7
Profits (millions)... 13.74 12.13
Per Share... 1.12 0.99

Fourth Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 188.2 181.15
Profits (millions)... 9.05 8.78
Per Share... 0.64 0.82

Annual 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 1,094.4 1,040.7
Profits (millions)... 41.3 32.9
Per Share... 1.31 0.82

First Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 83.6 75.4
Profits (millions)... 1.31 -0.32
Per Share... 0.16 -0.05

Second Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 168.9 149.35
Profits (millions)... 11.3 10.27
Per Share... 0.31 0.26

Third Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 435.3 407.3
Profits (millions)... 47.0 43.5
Per Share... 0.84 0.78

Fourth Quarter 1971 1970
Revenue (millions)... 59.6 61.3
Profits (millions)... 2.29 2.46
Per Share (Diluted)... 0.37 0.40

Big Board Prices Dip On Slow Profit-Taking

NEW YORK, April 20.—After scoring sharp gains for more than a week, prices on the New York Stock Exchange were affected by profit-taking today and closed lower in quiet trading.

Prices opened mixed, but began an early decline that leveled at noon. Analysts said the profit-taking was normal considering the sharp gains of recent sessions.

The Dow Jones industrial average closed at 944.2, down 4.43 from yesterday. Volume rose to 17.88 million shares from 17.73 million yesterday.

Background News
In the background news, Harold C. Passer, assistant commerce secretary for economic affairs, said today it was likely that consumer and business spending will increase at a strong pace.

Southern Co., a utility holding company, moved down 1/2 to 24 3/8, the most heavily-traded stock. Sperry Rand, off 2 to 34 1/2, placed No. 2 in activity.

TRW, Inc., the third most active stock, dropped 1/4 to 40 7/8 as the day's largest point loser.

Chemical Results
Among chemicals Rohm and Haas rose 1 3/4 to 102 1/4 and Du Pont 1/8 to 148. Dow Chemical, which reported a rise in first-quarter profits, rose 1/2 to 85.

Losers in the chemical group were led by Monsanto, which skidded 1 5/8 to 45. Allied lost 1 3/8 to 28 7/8.

Glamour issues followed the market trend and declined. Those losing ground included Digital Equipment off 3/8 to 69 3/4. Control Data, down 1/2 to 62 3/4 and Honeywell off 1/8 to 101 3/8.

Bausch & Lomb lost 2 7/8 to 86. The company said it plans to start marketing its "softlens" late in May.

Xerox closed at 103 1/8, down 3/8. The company said today its publishing unit was acquiring three companies and an interest in a fourth to expand its operations outside the United States.

Tobacco Issues
Tobacco generally was weak. American Brands, which reported a rise in first-quarter profits, fell 3/8 to 47 5/8.

Computers were also weak but IBM went against the trend and closed at 356, up 2.

Electronic Data Systems, which reported a fourth-quarter profit gain, dipped 5/8 to 65 3/4.

Lockheed Rallies
Lockheed rallied late in the session, but still finished off 3/8 to 12 1/4. Britain said that Rolls-Royce would not continue with its airbus engine contract unless the future of Lockheed was guaranteed.

Chrysler, which reported that

Plessey Income Rises

LONDON, April 20 (Reuters).—Plessey Co. Ltd. profits in the nine months ended March 31 rose 17.5 percent to \$10.7 million (\$25.7 million) from the year-ago period, the company reported today.

Japanese Steel Firms Seen Ready to Slow Exports to U.S.

TOKYO, April 20 (AP-DJ)—Japan's major steel companies reportedly reached a tentative agreement yesterday to reduce the annual growth of steel exports to the United States to 3 percent in 1972 and 1973, from the present 5 percent.

Press reports said the companies will now attempt to determine whether Common Market steel producers will go along with this move.

They reportedly took no action on a U.S. demand that a separate quota be set up for special steel exports. But they did agree to hold such exports at the 1970 level for an unspecified period of time, press reports said.

Tripartite Pact
The current three-year agreement between the U.S. State Department and the Japanese and Common Market steel industries expires at the end of this year. It provides that steel exports to the United States be held to a growth rate of 5 percent a year under overall quotas covering all types of steel products.

The Japanese industry has said it is willing to extend the current agreement another two years. The United States has reportedly asked Japan and the Common Market to agree to a 25 percent growth rate and to a special quota for special steel.

Nippon Steel, Nippon Kokan, Kawasaki Steel, Sumitomo Metal Industries and Kobe Steel were the major Japanese producers represented yesterday.

Textile Quota-Speculation
TOKYO, April 20.—Toyasaburo Taniguchi, who engineered Japan's controversial textile export restrictions, announced yesterday his intention to resign as chairman of the Japan Textile Federation.

The news aroused speculation that the deal to curb exports to the United States may be coming unscathed.

Also resigning is the chairman of the Chemical Fiber Association, Kagayaki Miyazaki, who was Mr. Taniguchi's chief lieutenant

Growth of Japanese Outlays Seen Dipping

TOKYO, April 20 (AP-DJ)—Capital spending for new plant and equipment planned by more than 1,300 major Japanese firms this fiscal year amounts to only a 1.7 percent increase over the past year, the Ministry of International Trade and Industry said today.

The increase in fiscal 1970, which ended March 31, was 21.4 percent, the ministry said. It said planned spending totals \$13.36 billion on a project, not payment, basis, but estimated the figure might drop to about \$13.03 billion as firms postpone or scale down projects.

Mr. Taniguchi said he feels he can now step down. His plan, scheduled to go into effect July 1, was accepted by U.S. Rep. Wilbur Mills, D., Ark., but rejected by President Nixon and the U.S. textile industry.

The Japanese conditioned their offer on parallel restrictions by South Korea, Taiwan and Hong Kong, which have failed to materialize, adding more doubts to the prospects of a solution.

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State Control Of Minerals in Turkey Urged
ANKARA, April 20.—New laws to nationalize Turkey's stocks of refined oil and of certain strategic minerals are being proposed by Minister of Energy Hasan Topaloglu.

Car Importers Back Paris Salon Boycott
PARIS, April 20 (AP)—Car importers in France confirmed today that they would not participate in this year's Paris Auto Show.

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New York Stock Exchange Trading

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Table of 1971 stock and bond prices, including columns for stock name, price, and volume.

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European Markets

(Yesterday's closing prices in local currencies)

Table of European market closing prices for various countries and currencies.

International Bonds Traded in Europe

Mid-day indicated prices

Table of international bond prices traded in Europe.

One Dollar

Table showing the value of one dollar in various foreign currencies.

European Gold Markets

Open Close Change

Table of European gold market prices.

Tokyo Exchange

April 20, 1971

Table of Tokyo exchange rates for various currencies.

Zurich

Table of Zurich market prices for various goods.

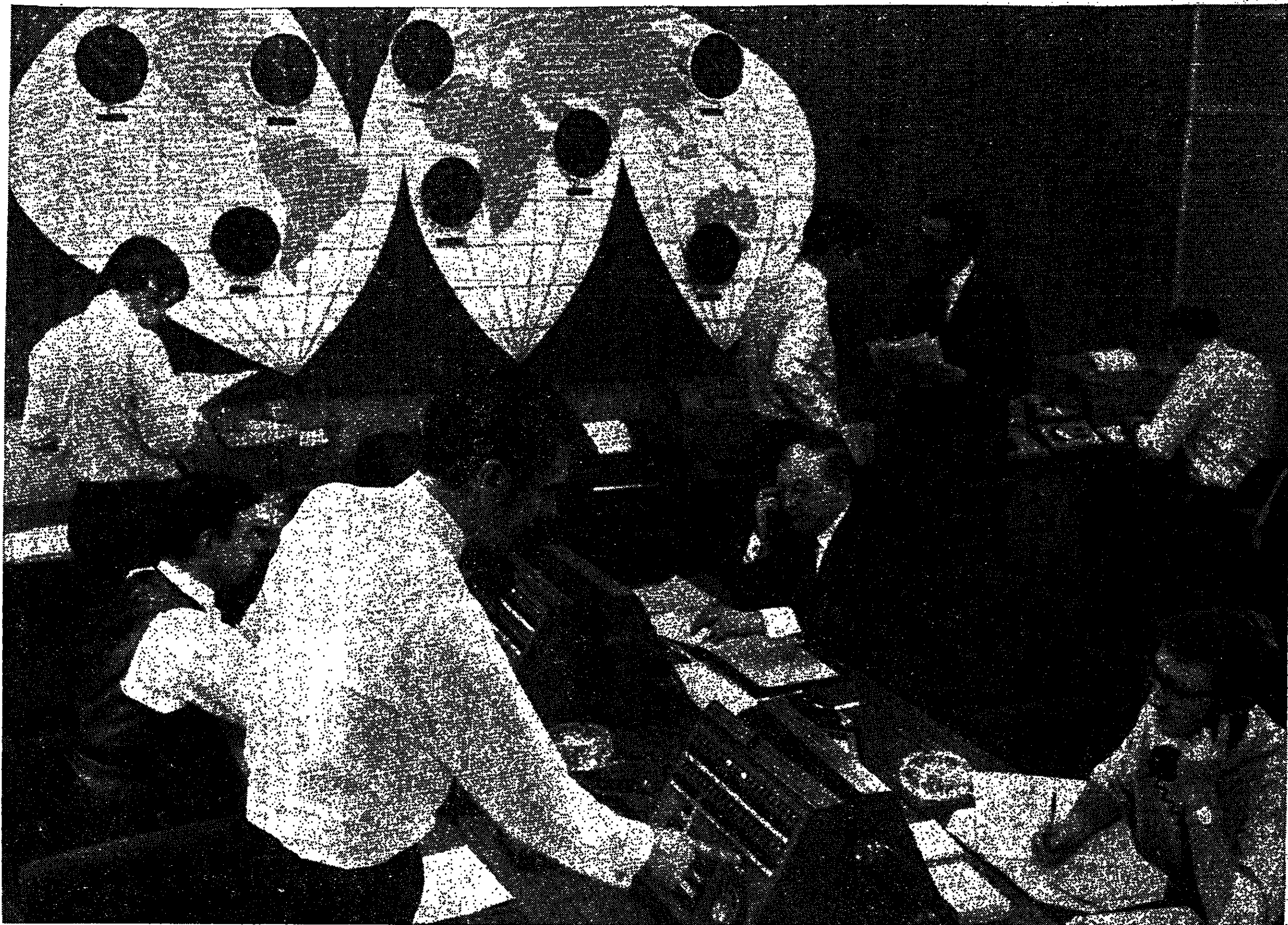
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Table of Eurodollar market rates.

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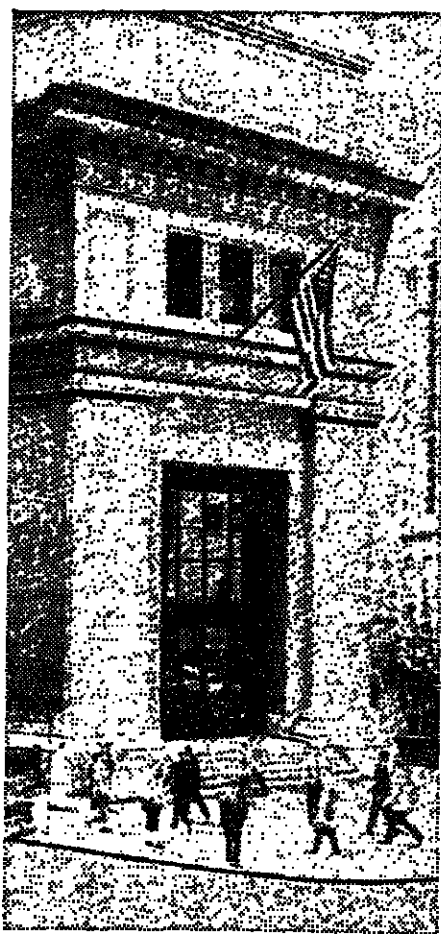
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American Stock Exchange Trading

Main table containing American Stock Exchange Trading data, organized into columns for various stock categories and individual company listings with their respective prices and volume.

U.S. Commodity Prices

Table listing U.S. Commodity Prices for various goods such as soybeans, wheat, and cotton, including their current prices and percentage changes.

Foreign Stock Indexes

Table showing Foreign Stock Indexes for various international markets, including London, Frankfurt, and Tokyo, with their respective index values.

Unless otherwise noted, rates of dividends in the foregoing table are annual distributions based on the last dividend or semi-annual declaration. Special or extra dividends or extra dividends not declared as regular are identified in the following footnotes.

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PEANUTS comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Snoopy, Woodstock, Charlie Brown.

FISH LIFE comic strip panels 1-3. Characters: Fish, Utopian.

THE ROSE GARDEN comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Queen, Mudders.

LOOK WHERE THE GENERALS comic strip panels 1-2. Characters: Generals, Julius.

I UNDERSTAND ARTHUR comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Arthur, Weatherman.

YOU CAN SEE, WIN comic strip panels 1-2. Characters: Animals, Witch Doctor.

HEY, TURNKEY! comic strip panels 1-3. Characters: Turnkey, Man.

I'LL TELL YOU WHAT I'VE DONE comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Psychiatrist, Patients.

ACTUALLY, ANIMALS comic strip panels 1-2. Characters: Animals, President.

PIERRE SEEMS TO PREFER HIS PERCH comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Pierre, Desmond.

BLONDIE comic strip panels 1-4. Characters: Blondie, Dagwood.

BRIDGE By Alan Truscott

Many North-South pairs bid and made a game on the disgraced deal, taken from a recent American Bridge Association event...

BRIDGE hand diagram showing North, South, West, and East hands with suits and cards.

Solution to Previous Puzzle: A crossword grid with words like FISHING, ASPARTE, etc.

DENNIS THE MENACE

Dennis the Menace comic strip panels 1-2. Characters: Dennis, Mrs. Wilson.

JUMBLE - that scrambled word game

JUMBLE puzzle instructions and word lists: SIADY, GAPAN, BLOMIE, POOSUR.

BOOKS

THE EUROPEAN DISCOVERY OF AMERICA The Northern Voyages, A.D. 500-1600

By Samuel Eliot Morison, Oxford, 712 pp. \$15. Reviewed by Walter Clemons

There is something very special about these northern voyages. Samuel Eliot Morison casually remarks at the start of his account of the earliest explorations of the treacherous North Atlantic...

CROSSWORD By Will Weng

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers: ACROSS 1 Magna, 6 Something extra, etc.

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Take Decisive Game, 93-91

Bullets Rebound to Toss Knicks Out of Playoffs

By Mark Asher
NEW YORK, April 20 (AP)—The Baltimore Bullets crashed the backboards in the second half and cracked the Madison Square Garden mystique of the defending champion New York Knicks...

Square Garden advanced the Bullets into the championship series against the Milwaukee Bucks. The first game in the best-of-seven finals will be played tomorrow in Milwaukee...

move around and jump with less pain. While four Baltimore players were supplying the rebounding, Earl Monroe supplied the offensive heroics in the second half with half of his 26 points and all six of his assists...



MAKING A SPLASH—Alvaro Mejia of Colombia stands in large fountain and splashes water on his face immediately after winning 26-mile, 383-yard Boston Marathon on Patriots Day Monday.

Beliveau's Ankle Injury Won't Slow Canadiens

MONTREAL, April 20 (AP)—The high-flying Montreal Canadiens received good news yesterday when captain Jean Beliveau was pronounced ready for tonight's opening game of the National Hockey League semifinal playoff series against the Minnesota North Stars...

strengthened by trades during the regular season. Minnesota also will be strengthened by the return of right wing Bill Goldsworthy, who missed the last five games of the St. Louis series with a knee injury.

Tuesday's Games

Phils' Short 3-Hits Expos

MONTREAL, April 20 (AP)—Chris Short's three-hit pitching and Roger Freed's sacrifice fly in the sixth inning gave the Philadelphia Phillies a 1-0 victory over the Montreal Expos today.

Short pitched his way out of numerous jams in a duel with Expos' rookie Ernie McNally. The Philadelphia pitcher walked seven batters but the Expos stranded eight runners.

Cubs 3, Astros 1

Ron Santo's two-run homer in the fourth inning keyed a 3-1 victory for Ferguson Jenkins as the Chicago Cubs defeated Houston, breaking a four-game losing streak.

Twins 5, Royals 4

Reliever Ron Ferranowski snuffed out a ninth-inning Kansas City rally as Minnesota defeated the Royals, 5-4.

Red Sox 4, Indians 1

In the American League, Gary Peters doubled home the first two runs for Boston in the fifth inning and defeated Cleveland, 4-1, with relief help from Ken Tatum.

White Sox 7, Brewers 1

Righthander Bart Johnson had to struggle on the mound in the early innings, but he drove home three runs with his hitting to lead the Chicago White Sox to a 7-1 victory over Milwaukee.

RED SMITH

Champ in the White House

RICHARD NIXON said Joe Frazier stood as an example that America's young people should strive to emulate and Joe Frazier said the President was an exceedingly cordial cat who didn't seem to know much about the history of the White House.



Red Smith

could be a champion but said everyone should do his best to make something of himself. Outside of the Fraziers, the youngest people listening were David and Julie Eisenhower. Also present were Mrs. Nixon, cabinet members, and congressmen.

Automobile congestion created by a transit strike made Frazier half an hour late for Monday's civic testimonial in Philadelphia. Starting at City Hall, he and Morris and the Mayor led a small parade around Central City, riding in an open Cadillac provided by the mayor.

Covens, Petrie Tie

NEW YORK, April 20 (AP)—Dave Covens of the Boston Celtics and Geoff Petrie of the Portland Trail Blazers shared Rookie of the Year honors yesterday, the first deadlock in the history of the National Basketball Association.

The Scoreboard

TENNIS—At Buenos Aires, Rhodessa Australian Margaret Court, defeated Evonne Cuyach in the third round in three days in an exhibition match. Mrs. Court won 6-1, 6-4, 6-2.

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TRACK AND FIELD—At Columbus, Ohio, former Big Ten champion Mike Brown broke the 500-meter high-jump barrier in one of three record performances in the 34th Ohio State Relays.

MOTORCYCLING—At Cesenatico, Italy, Italy's world champion Giacomo Agostini won the 300-cc and the 500-cc events in the third trophy international championships. Agostini won the 300-cc event by more than 20 seconds from second-placed Phil Read of England, and he won the 500-cc event by more than 20 seconds.

EVERY WEDNESDAY the FRENCH NATIONAL LOTTERY IS DRAWN FIRST PRIZE: 1 MILLION Frs. TICKET: 26 Frs. TENTH: 3 Frs.

Little Moves to 11th in Golf Earnings

NEW YORK, April 20 (AP)—Gene Littler's \$30,000 victory in the Aronson Open last weekend raised him to 11th place in golf's money earnings for the year. Littler has won \$47,543.

CFL Gets Michigan Star

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 20 (AP)—Don Moorhead, who quarterbacked Michigan to a Big Ten championship title in 1959 and to a second-place finish in 1970, has signed with the Canadian Football League's British Columbia Lions.

Royals Sign McCormick

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 20 (AP)—The Kansas City Royals have signed lefthanded pitcher Mike McCormick, 32, as a free agent and assigned catcher Buck Martinez to their Omaha farm club.

Giants Capture 9th Straight

NEW YORK, April 20 (AP)—There's a job for Ron Bryant in the San Francisco Giants' starting rotation, but he may become eligible for unemployment compensation waiting for it.

The left-hander's job took over for ailing Frank Robinson with none out in the first inning yesterday and went the rest of the way in a 4-2 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals. It was the Giants' ninth consecutive victory.

The Dodgers drove loser Dave Roberts from the mound when Willie Davis and Wes Parker singled to open the eighth inning. Richie Allen sacrificed and pinch-hitter Bill Sudakis was purposely walked before Grabarkewitz broke an 8-for-ten slump with his double off the left-field wall against reliever Al Severin.

Last in AL Hitting

Williams' Batting Instructions Don't Impress His Senators

WASHINGTON, April 20 (WP)—The other day after the Minnesota Twins' latest embarrassment, a fifth straight defeat, manager Bill Ripken called a squad meeting to announce a visiting lecturer, on tape. For the next 40 minutes, the Twins got batting instructions that were articulated and demonstrated by the master, Ted Williams, whose hitting lessons are now packaged for television.

alone who are preserving some aspect of sanity in the league standings, which otherwise encourage a fifth straight defeat. The Orioles were recognized as the class of the AL, and with their 8-2 record they are not defying logic. The Twins, who were supposed to be a bit of a shock-in in the AL West, have won only five of their first 13 games. But it is in the National League that the standings leave one to boggle. Guess who is leading the NL East? The Montreal Expos, that's who. Same club that was in last place at the end of last season.

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